

GOVERNMENT EXPERT FINDS STEEL TRUST RESTRAINED TRADE

MORAE GIVES REPORT AFTER EXAMINATION OF CORPORATION'S BOOKS AND MINUTES.

STARTLING FIGURES

In Regard to Profits and Dividends In Organizing the Steel Combine—Have Prevented Competition.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—The House steel trust investigating committee made public the result of the inquiry into the books and minutes of the United States Steel Corporation conducted by Parquhar J. Morae, an expert accountant.

The Morae report reaches the conclusion that the Steel Corporation operates in restraint of trade and prevents competition through a manipulation of prices, through the influence of the so-called "Gary dinners," by control of raw materials and through a system of interlocking directorates in various companies. It also tends to contradict some of the testimony given by steel trust officials.

Some of the figures dealt with in the report are startling. It is shown that J. P. Morgan & Co. received approximately \$70,000,000 in cash profits for organizing the big steel combine, and that the net profits of the concern for the first nine years of its existence were more than a billion dollars.

Steel corporation officials objected to producing their books before the committee in this city, but consented to place them freely at the disposal of an expert to be named by the committee. Mr. Morae made a thorough study of the books and minutes, and in his report to the committee he pointed out these salient features:

That J. P. Morgan & Co., heading the syndicate which organized the steel corporation, received a cash profit of \$69,300,000 of which \$62,500,000 was for the promotion, with an additional commission of \$5,300,000 for a bond conversion scheme.

That the net earnings of the corporation for a period of nine years were \$1,029,885,389, or an equivalent of approximately \$13 a ton on finished product instead of \$980,000,311 so claimed by the Corporation in its report.

That the steel corporation, contrary to the statement made by Judge Gary and Mr. C. Frank to President Roosevelt in 1907 that it did not control more than 60 per cent of steel production in the country, controls about 80 per cent of the steel holdings.

The section of the report dealing with the "Gory dinners" where independent as well as corporation steel men assembled to discuss conditions in the trade, contains an analysis of the legal effect of the "golden rule" policy prepared by Anthony J. Ernst, a New York lawyer in which it is declared that the "conventions agreed to and enforced would be objectionable as regards their effect upon competition."

Regarding "Gory Dinner," says the report, "wherein the so-called independent men are influenced to reduce their production conformably to their estimate of the reduction in the demand existing, and to maintain prices, is objectionable as far as it operates to exclude free competition. The arrangement is designed and intended to operate and has operated admittedly, as to standard steel rails, although it is claimed that the so-called independent participants can cut prices without fear of penalty, except the danger of declaring in favor of a named price and then selling at some other price."

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INDUSTRIAL PEACE FEDERATION'S TOPIC

Means And Ways of Obtaining It To Be Discussed At Meeting of National Civic Federation.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Advices received by the committee in charge of the local arrangements indicate that nearly all of the forty-eight states will be represented by delegates at the annual convention of the National Civic Federation to be held here next week. The live importance of the subjects scheduled for discussion and the prominence of many of the participants combine to give promise of the most notable meeting in the history of the organization. The initial session will be devoted to the consideration of ways and means to insure industrial peace and progress. Cardinal Gibbons will preside. President Taft will occupy the chair at the succeeding sessions, which will be given over to the consideration of such problems as are involved in the relations of the public to industrial concerns, compensation for accidents, and the regulation of industrial corporations and public utilities.

CROWN PRINCESS OF SWEDEN BECOMES A MOTHER TODAY

Stockholm, Feb. 28.—The crown princess of Sweden, who is a daughter of the Duke of Connaught, gave birth to a son this morning. Both mother and child are doing well. The crown prince and princess have now three sons and one daughter.

GOVERNORS RALLY TO SUPPORT TAFT FOR PRESIDENCY

Nine State Executives Declare For President as Direct Answer to Roosevelt Boom.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Telegraphic pledges of support from nine republican governors were given out here Tuesday night from the campaign headquarters of President Taft. The executives gave in record in favor of the president's re-nomination were, Eberhart, Minnesota; Carroll, Iowa; Hays, Washington; Goldsborough, Maryland; Tener, Pennsylvania; Hooper, Tennessee; Spry, Utah; Penwell, Delaware; and Pothier, Rhode Island.

In addition to the signed statements made public, the Taft managers claimed the support of Govs. Deneen, Illinois; Odell, Nevada, and Mead, Vermont.

Refute Roosevelt Claim.

The announcement from the Taft bureau is taken as an answer to the Chicago conference of seven governors upon whose solicitation Col. Roosevelt based his formal entry to the presidential contest.

Twenty-two states now have republican governors, and all except two are now accounted for in the various statements of presidential preferences. They are listed as follows: Declared for Taft, 9; claimed by Taft managers, 3; declared for Roosevelt, 7; declared for La Follette, 1; preference not announced, 2.

The governors who have declared for Roosevelt are Glasscock, West Virginia; Aldrich, Nebraska; Bass, New Hampshire; Osborn, Michigan; Stubbs, Kansas; Hadley, Missouri and Johnson, California.

Gov. Carey of Wyoming also signed the "governors' letter" urging Col. Roosevelt to become a candidate, but it is now declared that he has reversed judgment. Neither has Gov. Vosey of South Dakota announced his choice. The California executive did not sign the letter, but has since declared for the former president.

Gov. McGovern of Wisconsin is committed to the candidacy of Senator La Follette.

The nine governors who have come out for President Taft all take the position that his record entitles him to re-nomination and election. Following are extracts from the governors' dispatches:

Telegrams Are Sent.

Eberhart, Minnesota.—President Taft's administration, measured by all standards of accomplishment and fidelity to duty, entitles him to the independence of a second term, which I believe the inherent sense of fairness and justice of the American people will ungrudgingly give him.

Carroll, Iowa.—There is no justice in the opposition to President Taft. His administration has been clean and capable and in harmony with platform pledges. A just and righteous application of the square deal would accord him re-nomination without a contest.

Hays, Washington.—Few administrations can point to the enactment of so many wise and progressive laws as that of President Taft. I feel it the duty of every true progressive republican to support Mr. Taft for re-nomination and re-election.

Goldsborough, Maryland.—It is my opinion that President Taft has given the country one of the best administrations in its history.

Tener, Pennsylvania.—In view of the able manner in which President Taft has conducted his office, the constructive and substantial achievements of his administration, and I unhesitatingly predict his re-election.

Hooper, Tennessee.—President Taft is popular in Tennessee. The state organization is loyally supporting the president and from present indications he will get the vote of Tennessee in the national convention.

"Logical Candidate."

Spry, Utah.—I am glad to reaffirm my personal preference for Mr. Taft as presidential nominee. I regard him as the most logical as well as the strongest man whose name has been mentioned. I am confident that Utah will send a Taft delegation to the convention.

Penwell, Delaware.—I am strongly in favor of President Taft's re-nomination. His splendid record should insure his re-election by a large majority.

Pothier, Rhode Island.—President Taft is a safe man at the head of the nation. His administration has been able and statesmanlike in the broadest sense. His record entitles him to a re-nomination, in which event he should receive a most emphatic popular endorsement.

Making public the governors' telegram the Taft bureau also says that republican gubernatorial candidates in the last election in states now headed by democratic executives, but which are normally republican, almost unanimously have declared for Taft.

Mead in Line.

Governor Mead of Vermont added his formal endorsement to President Taft as candidate for re-election.

REPUBLICAN TROOPS REVOLT IN HANKING

Trouble Over Payment of Wages to Soldiers Causes Revolt at Hanking.

Hankang, China, Feb. 28.—A portion of the republican troops stationed at Wu Chang revolted during the night. Considerable fighting occurred but no details have reached here regarding the outcome. The outbreak is attributed to the dissatisfaction among the soldiers in not receiving their pay. The foreign gunboats stationed here have been ordered to hold them in readiness for eventualities. No disturbances have occurred in this city.

COAL MINERS SEEK DEFINITE AGREEMENT

President of United Mine Workers Will Hold Conference With Bituminous Leaders in Chicago.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Feb. 28.—After conferring with members of the anthracite mine workers committee which has presented a new working agreement for the hard coal operators, John P. White, president of the United States Mine Workers of America, planned to leave tonight for Chicago where he will call a conference of the bituminous leaders to consider the situation in soft coal regions. As in the case in the anthracite district agreement between the mines and employees expires March 31st, Mr. White was of the opinion that the demand made of the anthracite operators would be turned down. The operators demand for an increase of wages of five per cent will be granted but the mine owners will accede to no other demand.

SEEK NEW ARRESTS IN TAXICAB HOLDUP

New York Police Are Suspicious of Italian Bandits Who Travel Under Name of "Three Brigands."

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Feb. 28.—While the police have the names of ten alleged highway men, five of whom are under arrest, the evidence so far uncovered in the taxicab hold up in the Wall Street district in which two men were black-jacked and twenty-five thousand dollars in money stolen, shows that several others know of the planning of execution of the theft and perhaps shared in the loot.

Deputy Commissioner Dougherty has the names of five of the men who are wanted and expects that arrests will be made within the next twenty-four hours. The police are especially desirous of arresting three Italians, two of whom are known as Matteo and Paul. The Italians are known to their followers as "The Three Brigands."

Two of the prisoners who have confessed say that the three brigands supervised the robbery and that they took no part until the division came when Matteo at the point of a gun seized ten thousand dollars. The "two Brigands" are known as dangerous men.

So far but little over \$2,000 of the loot has been recovered by the police.

PRESIDENT VICTORY HAS NAMED CABINET

Newly Inaugurated President of San Domingo Names Assistants Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

San Domingo, Feb. 28.—Blasio Virelli, who was elected on December 28, took the oath yesterday as President of San Domingo for a term of six years. He selected the following cabinet: Premier, minister of war, and minister of interior, Alfredo Virelli; minister of finance, M. Caradava; minister of foreign affairs, Arturo Machado; minister of justice, Angel Soler; minister of agriculture, Luis Polletier; minister of public works, M. Troncoso.

TURKS AND ALLIES BEATEN IN BATTLE

Driven From Position by Italians and Defeated in Battle Lasting All Day.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Rome, Feb. 28.—A battle resulting in the defeat of the Turkish forces and their Arab allies is reported in official dispatches received here today. Hosts (which is also known as Lodini) is but seventy miles south-east of Tripoli on the Mediterranean coast. The engagement occurred at Mt. Erched, which lies some distance from the town. The Turks and Arabs had taken up a strong position on the slope further up where they were attacked by the Italians with infantry and artillery. After the attack a fight occurred which lasted all day, the Italians finally storming the heights. The loss of Turks and Arabs is described in the report as heavy.

CROKER GIRL FAILS TO SECURE DIVORCE

Jury in New York Divorce Case Fail to Agree When Verdict Is Brought Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Feb. 28.—The jury in the divorce suit brought by Ethel Croker against her husband John J. Croker, ex-slitting master, returned a sealed verdict to the court room today, holding that they could not agree. The plaintiff is the daughter of Richard Croker.

THIEVES LOOT SAFE OF SAN JOSE BANKING HOUSE.

Get Away With \$4000 After Binding And Gagging Cashier—Succeed In Escaping.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

San Jose, Calif., Feb. 28.—The banking house of J. H. Croft was today robbed of \$4,000 by robbers who escaped. Croft had opened the safe for the day's business when he was seized by robbers who bound and gagged him and then imprisoned him in a rear room.

PRESIDENT MADERO AND CABINET PLAN TO RECOVER JUAREZ

Various Methods Are Suggested by Which City May Be Retaken and Action Is Started.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Mexico City, Mex., Feb. 28.—Plans for the recovery of the city of Juarez without bloodshed are to be the subjects of a meeting of President Madero's cabinet. A project to surround the Mexican side of the city with loyal troops and cutting off supplies from the Americans to cut off supplies from the Americans in that respect must be voluntary because they are not duty bound to take a hand in subduing the Vasconquistas.

Organizing Forces.

The secretary of the treasury will formally declare the custom houses closed. The fall of the town is said to be due to the lack of discipline among the troops there who failed to obey the orders given them to keep the rebels outside of the town. Many of them deserted to the enemy. The government is organizing auxiliary forces for the participation of the northern regions of Mexico.

Action by Consul.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The Mexican consul at El Paso, Texas, today requested the American collectors to forbid exportation of American goods into Juarez and urged that the rebel pact be recognized by the United States as closed. The treasury department has taken up the question with the state department.

To Aid Madero.

Laurel, Mex., Feb. 28.—A movement to throw the support of General Hernandez Reyes' followers to President Madero was started here today. There is said to be fully three thousand Reyesites in practical exile in the United States and Cuba.

FISH TUG AND CREW ARE BELIEVED LOST

Monitor and Crew of Three Which Left Racine, Tuesday Supposed to Be Impressed in Ice.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Racine, Wis., Feb. 28.—Capt. Michael Bolin and a crew of three men of the 40 foot fish tug Monitor are believed to be imprisoned in ice twelve miles off the port from whence they departed Tuesday to fish, with little food aboard, in a flow of enormous size and the cold weather to contend with have made harbor men feel concerned for the tug and crew.

OPPOSE POSTPONING NATIONAL CONVENTION

Harmon Headquarters Issue Statement Opposing Suggestion of Senator Bacon.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Feb. 28.—The Harmon headquarters in Washington, gave out a statement today opposing the suggestion of Senator Bacon and others for a postponement of the Democratic National Convention scheduled at Baltimore June 25th.

TAFT WILL BE PROPERLY DECORATED ST. PATRICK'S DAY

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Feb. 28.—The White House mail today brought President Taft a silk shamrock and a gold snake from Mary F. Flattery, of New York, which the president will wear in the lapel of his coat when he rides at the head of St. Patrick Parade in Boston Monday, March 10th.

LAST OF SAN BUENA TRIBE PASSED AWAY.

Died at Hospital in Oxnard, California Today at Age of One Hundred and Four Years.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Oxnard, Calif., Feb. 28.—A Centenarian, the last of the tribe of San Buena Ventura Indians died at the county hospital today aged 101 years.

REWARD FOR SILK THIEVES: The Chief of Police has been notified that a reward of \$50 is offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the thieves who entered the store of the Indiana Dry Goods Company in Indianapolis, between 10 p. m. Sunday and 8 a. m. Monday and stole a large quantity of silks in the bolt.

ASK INVESTIGATION OF HARRIMAN STRIKE

Petition From Ogden, Utah, Regarding Machinists' Strike (Referred to Department of Justice.)

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Feb. 28.—A request from citizens of Ogden, Utah, presented to President Taft today urging the government to investigate the strike of the machinists on the Harriman line was referred to the department of justice.

REFUSES WILEY'S REQUEST FOR PUBLISHING LETTERS

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson Turns Down Proposal of Head of Pure Food Board.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Feb. 28.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson today denied the request of Dr. Wiley, head of the pure food board, that all correspondence in the recent court decision be made public.

Get Your Share Of The Good Things

Today you see something advertised in The Gazette wants. The advertisement may be repeated again tomorrow, or even the following day, and then discontinued. Somebody has accepted the offer made. Every day people who have things to sell tell their stories in a few words in Gazette Want Ads, and every day new people tell about new things.

Because The Gazette is a home-rod newspaper these offers are quickly accepted. No matter what you want, office room, horse, auto, position, help, house, or anything else, you can get it quickly through reading and using Gazette Want Ads.

HEAVY FIRE LOSSES REPORTED IN STATE

\$326,000 Is Fire Loss for Month of January—Big Fires Start During Night or Lunch Hour.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 28.—Fire losses in Wisconsin in January are reported to State Fire Marshal T. M. Purcell were \$326,000. Defective chimneys again head the list of causes, with forty-eight, the damage from such causes being \$52,455, and the insurance involved \$60,725. There were twenty-four cases of overheated stoves, with losses of \$25,900, and twenty-four cases of thawing water pipes, with losses of \$11,865. Eight suspicious fires caused damage of \$33,850, and twenty-four were from cause unknown. Several prosecutions were made by the department during the month, one resulting this month in a ten-year prison sentence for a Milwaukee man, Henry Gerke, convicted of firing the dwelling and saloon of his competitor.

Most of the fires in Wisconsin, says Marshal Purcell, "involving heavy losses, started while the property was unguarded during the night or lunch hour. This proves that these losses of thousands of dollars could have been prevented by the exercise of greater carefulness."

STEEL TRUST SUIT TO BEGIN FRIDAY

Government Will File Purely Formal Replication to Answers of Defendants.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—The anti-trust suit against the United States Steel Corporation and its subsidiaries will come to issue Friday when the government will file its replication to the answers of the defendants. There will be no amended bill. The replication will be purely formal denying the contention of the steel company and reasserting the allegation of the position which caused the collusion.

With all preliminaries completed, Jacob N. Dickenson, special assistant to the district attorney general, will ask the court on March 6th to appoint a master to hear the testimony. On the same day the steel companies will all file before Judge Gray the question of making permanent the temporary injunction against the destruction of papers desired by the government in the prosecution of the case.

NATIONAL PACKING MINUTES IN COURT

Minutes of National Packing Meeting Read Despite Objections in Trial Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Chicago, Feb. 28.—United States District Judge Carpenter today overruled the objection of the defense in the reading of the minutes of the meeting of the directors of the National Packing committee between 1907 and 1910. The government attempted to read the minutes to the jury several weeks ago but the defense made vigorous objections and the court took the matter under consideration. The official records will be put in evidence before the government closes its case. It was at these meetings that the directors, the government contend agreed on selling prices, margins, shipments, etc., in violation of the Sherman act.

LIBRARY IS DENIED AS TRYING PLACE

Green Bay Lads and Lassies Prohibited Use of Public Library During the Evening.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Green Bay, Feb. 28.—No longer will the Carnegie-Kellogg Public Library in Green Bay be a trying place for the young people of the city. The library board has decreed the boys and girls under sixteen years of age may not exchange books or visit the reading room of the library in the evening. The board members feel that the youngsters have been using the library as a shield for an excuse to get out on the street at night to meet each other.

THIEF KILLS WOMAN; BELL BOY ARRESTED

Woman's Body Found in Bath Tub and Flat Is Robbed—Apartment House Bellhop Held.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Johanna Huever was found in an apartment house in Highland was found dead this morning, her body crumpled in a bath tub. She had been murdered during the night and her flat robbed. A bell boy in the apartment house was arrested.

VOTE TO CONTINUE EFFORTS TO SETTLE STRIKE IN ENGLAND

Miners After Stormy Conference Decide to Still Consider Settlement—More Men Out.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

London, Eng., Feb. 28.—The British Miners' Federation, after a long and stormy meeting this morning, passed a resolution deciding to continue negotiations with the government with a view to bring about a settlement of the dispute.

Go To Wales.

Some of the miners' delegates are being sent to Wales to appeal to the miners in the quarries in South Wales. The executive committee succeeded in inducing the meeting to make a further effort for peace.

Talk to Premier.

In an official statement issued this afternoon the council of the executive committee confirmed the decision of the Miners' Federation to resume its conference with the premier. There are now upwards of 50,000 men on strike and by midnight one thousand more will have ceased to work.

Favors Extension.

President Taft told a committee from the American Bankers' association that he favored legislation to establish federal agricultural extension work in connection with state agricultural colleges which now receive federal benefit.

COLONEL WILL END HIS BOSTON VISIT

Roosevelt Left for New York This Afternoon After Numerous Political Conferences.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Boston, Mass., Feb. 28.—The visit of Colonel Roosevelt to Boston comes to an end today. He is expected to depart for New York at three this afternoon. Colonel Roosevelt spent last night with Dr. Wm. Starbuck Bicklow. He met several friends here before going to a luncheon given by Arthur Hill one of the leaders of the Roosevelt movement here. Colonel Roosevelt said last luncheon that steps to form an organization were being made and so far as possible the movement was to be rounded in to definite form.

A meeting of the Harvard overseers was expected to take up Col. Roosevelt's remaining time until time for the train. He expected to remain in New York tonight and to go to Oyster Bay late tomorrow.

Leading volunteers in the campaign for Theo. Roosevelt in Massachusetts had a final meeting with their candidate today before his departure for New York. Several men who have just enlisted for the fight were introduced to Col. Roosevelt and there was a conference regarding the selection of a leader for the Massachusetts delegation. It is understood that no decision was reached on this point. Col. Roosevelt was asked what he thought of the prospects here and the result of his announcement throughout the country that he was willing to accept the nomination, "I have absolutely nothing to say," he replied.

MORRIS VOLUNTEERS TO AID LA FOLLETTE

Lieutenant Governor Will Be Campaign Speaker in North Dakota.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 28.—Lieut. Governor Thos. Morris of La Crosse is one of the first progressive leaders in the state to respond to the call of Senator La Follette for a speaker to help him in his campaign in North Dakota for the presidency. Mr. Morris will devote the week of March 4th to campaigning in the western state and will deliver his first speech at Fargo. He plans to speak in all larger cities of the state.

MAY END TESTIMONY IN KIMMEL TRIAL

Plaintiff Benj. Rebuttal This Morning and Arguments Are Expected Tomorrow.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 28.—After offering documentary testimony dealing with photographs of George A. Kimmel and the "plaintiff," the defense in the Kimmel insurance hearing in the United States district court here rested its case this morning and the plaintiff began its rebuttal testimony. It was expected that all testimony would be in by night and that argument would be made tomorrow.

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VOTE TO RECOGNIZE REPUBLIC OF CHINA

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS REPORT FAVORABLY ON RESOLUTION.

THREE NEW WARSHIPS

Are Authorized for Construction In Recommendation of Naval Affairs Committee.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Feb. 28.—The House Committee of foreign affairs today favorably reported the further resolution which in effect would recognize the new Republic of China. It congratulates the Chinese people on "their assumption of the power, duties and responsibilities of such a government."

Three New Vessels.

The House Committee on naval affairs today decided to authorize the building of three new battleships this year and will demand that the domestic committee postpone its action against conditions in the navy at this time. The committee will ask for a free-hand to determine the matter for itself.

Approve Contract.

Congress today by a vote of 44 to 6 ratified the loan of five hundred thousand dollars for ten years in five per cent bonds at ninety nine made to the Honduran government recently by the Whitney National bank and Trust Company of Maryland.

Annul Orders.

An order of inter-state commerce commission reducing the second class freight rates from Maryland to Montgomery, Selma and Mobile, Ala., and to Pensacola, Fla., today was annulled by the decision of the commerce committee.

TROOPS STATIONED AT TROUBLE POINTS

Presence of Soldiers in Lawrence Prevents Disorders Today—Ready to Send Children.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 28.—Disposal of troops in the mill districts that were regarded as containing the element of possible disorder occupied the energies of troops and police early today.

Most of those "who" congregated along the picket-line and on the Common were women and in obliging them to move on there was a little violence exercised as possible. Two women were arrested.

In the expectation that a party of children would be sent to Washington today. A large crowd of people gathered about the railway station but a delegation had not been completed and the departure has been deferred for the day.

Representative Berger of Wisconsin, at whose suggestion they are to appear before Congress on Saturday telegraphed to William D. Howard that only children who worked in the mills are wanted and so an entirely new party had to be enrolled.

Will Investigate.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The federal bureau of labor will make an immediate investigation of the way and working condition at the textile mills at Lawrence, Mass. A representative will leave Washington today for the strike ridden city.

PANAMA GIVES WARM GREETING TO KNOX

Elaborate Entertainment Provided for Secretary of State in Visit to New Republic.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Panama, Feb. 28.—The newsmen here give great content to the visit of Secretary of State Knox when they welcomed to Panama on the warship term. Every movement of the secretary is recorded and many interviews with prominent men are published as the effect of his visit.

For the second day of the visit a full program of entertainment and functions is proceeding. Early this morning the entertainment committee came to the hotel where Mr. Knox is staying and took the secretary and the whole of his party on a sight seeing trip to the site of the original city of Panama. On their return the party has been invited to lunch with Maurice H. Thatcher, governor of the Panama Canal Zone.

In the afternoon a reception is to be given by Rodolfo Chari, the acting president at the palace and tonight a state dinner will be given by the governor general, Parades at which Mr. Knox will make his first formal speech on the tour.

BUSINESS SECTION WIPED OUT BY FIRE

Belzile Has Entire Business Section Destroyed by Fire—Ridgeway, Mo., Now Uses Snow to Fight Fire.

Belzile, Mo., Feb. 28.—Fire which started shortly after midnight and raged until daylight at Belzile, thirty miles southeast of Toledo on the Pennsylvania line, destroyed the entire business section of the town with the exception of one building. No lives were lost and no one was injured.

Used Snow.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 28.—The inhabitants of Ridgeway, Mo., used snow in a desperate fight with fire that almost destroyed the village last night.

AS SOON as you're ready to select spring things to wear we'll be glad to see you and show you. New frock ideas; new models; new colors and patterns for the most particular.

DJIBY

Wednesday
At the "Movies"
Lyric: "Arabian Nights," the great Irish drama, in 3 reels, reprinted by request. Produced in the most picturesque part of Ireland, with Sidney Olcott, Gene Gauntier, and an all-star cast.

Majestic: "The Silent Witness," another great Thanatopsis feature. "Blind Man's Bull," a Nestor comedy.

Royal: Vaudeville, Marie Elmore, singing and dancing soubrette, and Bell and Forbes, military musical comedians. They are a scream. Pictures: "Reflections from the Firelight," Imp; "The New Cowboy," Bison.

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—that will give satisfactory service are sold by us. A shipment received just recently.

—Fine assortment of new webs, in black or medium widths, trimmed with black, white or brown leather ends, which will not tear out at 25c a pair.

—Strong work suspenders, regular crossback or police style, heavy-pliable leather ends, very serviceable, at 25c a pair.

—Extra heavy suspenders, double strength elastic, leather ends, at 50c a pair.

—"President" suspenders, made so they give perfect comfort and freedom, at 50c a pair.

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Ruffles
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FLAT
TO LAUNDER

HOLME'S
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LAST SKI MEET OF
SEASON IS PLANNED

Stoughton Management Announces
Third Tournament for Saturday
Next.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Stoughton, Wis., Feb. 28.—The third and last ski tournament of the season will be held here Saturday afternoon. Although the meet will be a purely local event, some of the best skiers in the northwest will compete. Among them will be Edling Landvik, winner of third place in the professional class at the national meet at Chicago; Jacob Hjort, another of the best professionals in the United States, member of the Stoughton club. Both these men have been taking in practically every ski meet held this winter. They are experienced and will do good work. Their main object is to break the hill record of 111 feet, the third highest mark held in America.

Headed the amateur class event the special feature of the day will be the boys' event. Tota from 10 to 15 years old will start high up the incline and will make jumps totalling not less than forty feet. Skiers here predict that the youngsters will leap as far as fifty feet.

The snow in this meet will be in better condition and more suited to long jumps than in any of the meets held this winter. There is plenty of it and this fact will help to put the incline in fast shape.

Not a Strong Point.
No man over won respect through his ability to tell salacious stories.

SHOULD TAKE CARE TO PICK GOOD MEN

VAGABOND REVIEWS THE COMING COMMISSION PRIMARY SITUATION.

SUGGESTION OFFERED

Change in Experiment and City Will be Gainer if Good Men Are Nominated.

To the Editor:
Perhaps it would not be amiss at this time to say something about the coming primaries, March 19th, when candidates for the office of Mayor and Commissioners are to be elected. I do not mean to advocate the cause of any one particular candidate but have some suggestions to make which may be of some use to the voters. I read and thought over carefully. I do not pose as a politician, however, in fact this kind of a proposition is too frequent in Wisconsin politics to be even mentioned any longer, but I think I know what the city needs in the shape of officials.

Business Administration.
Janesville needs a good sound business administration. It needs three men elected who are fitted and qualified for the offices they seek, who are competent to stop the leakage in city expenditures and still give the city a good progressive up to date administration. Janesville has passed through several eras of administrative executives and with no disrespect to past Mayors, it might be said that they have been seriously handicapped by internal friction among the council, the real governing body. This has been done away with now and the excuse for mismanagement can be brought home to the individual responsible and not passed about until complaints are lost sight of.

Many Leaks.
It is useless to deny that there have been many leaks in our financial affairs. That money has been spent uselessly and even wasted. We have had a stone crushing plant that has not paid for the money expended in labor and has been a political resting place for faithful benchmen for years past. We have had the street superintendent working under the direction of a score of men, all of whom wished to feather their own nests, with time and money wasted politically. The street superintendent himself has been a hard worker and deserves credit for what he has accomplished under adverse conditions. Under the commission form there will be one man in charge of all the street work and he will be the only one to give orders and should be able to bring about results.

Fire and Police.
Other doubtful departments for expenditures are the fire and police departments. It is safe to say that with the actual needs of the department as to equipment, can reduce this as much as one man who knows what his special study and knows what he needs and why and sees that the department are supplied. For instance the case of hose. I am informed that there has been considerable dispute between the Chief of the Fire Department and members of the council as to the quality of the hose furnished and that he claims to have hose which is not suitable for the purposes designed. There is no question the members of the council who bought the hose did the best they could but their knowledge of the qualities was not sufficient to enable them to get just what was needed.

Look For Men.
I have made the above suggestions because they came to my mind and not to pick them from the many difficulties the city has had to undergo and be held up as special cases. There are many others and the taxpayer pays the cost. Now to remedy this. On the twenty-third of January the citizens of Janesville voted to adopt the commission form of government by a good majority. The conditions that brought about this change were many and need not be reviewed but the question now is to make the best possible showing of the new government, to prove it successful, economical and saving to the city as a whole. This can be done by selecting good, honest fearless business men for the offices of Mayor and Commissioners. Sentiment should play no part in this selection but good hard common sense.

An Experiment.
The commission form of government is in a way an experiment. The change from the present system to one absolutely opposite needs good clear heads to accomplish it. It needs men who are trained in business, men who are not tied down to any corporation interests and men above all, who are big enough, broad enough to know right from wrong and not be afraid to do what they consider right. It might be a good thing for the various candidates to come out and state plainly what they stand for, who are behind their candidacy and why they seek the office. It might be a good thing for the voters at large to study the civic conditions and decide what the city needs and who would be best qualified for the positions.

Public Meeting.
A public meeting at which all candidates be invited to attend and express their views on subjects of vital interest to the citizens at large, has been suggested. This might be a good thing but it has its drawbacks. However, one advantage that might be gained would be a contradiction of any false campaign statements that might be made. Any claims that might be advanced to personal qualifications and personal work done in behalf of the city that were false or distorted to cover up errors in judgment. This might be accomplished but it is not probable that such a meeting could be arranged. Should it however, be decided upon, it should be presided over by some recognized personage of standing in the community and all the candidates

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given an opportunity to explain their views and their qualifications for office.
Much Thinking.
This selection of the mayor and commissioners can not be decided in a hurry. It cannot be settled merely in a false sense of doing a friend a good turn by voting for him or voting for some friend of his. Janesville is a big business corporation and needs big broad men to conduct it. If you were a stockholder in any corporation you would not think of hiring incompetent men to handle your business, yet in civic affairs you are perfectly willing to take some one else's word for the matter and vote as dictated to.

No Malice.
I have talked personally with fully two-thirds of the candidates for office and asked them the personal views on subjects of vital interests. I find some are in the race for the salary they hope to secure and without any thought of being mentally equipped for the place they seek. Others have a justification for former actions while serving as city officials. It is a strange mixup. Some candidates have been urged by friends to make the race and are really qualified for the place they seek and it is too bad that they do not come out into the open and state what their qualifications are, what their platform is, so that the general public can be convinced as I am, that they are fitted for the place.

VAGABOND

LINK AND PIN ASSIGNMENTS MADE TO NEW POSITIONS

Chicago & Northwestern.
Engineers and Firemen Assigned to Different Runs by Bulletin at Roundhouse.

Bulletin was posted yesterday at the roundhouse making the following assignments to firemen: Smurbran run No. 13 has been given to P. T. Gaylord; suburban No. 50 to S. A. Gorlick; suburban No. 48 to C. G. Stronck; dispatcher at Waukegan, A. Alderson; runs 107-108 Milwaukee Road to L. C. Braun; 555-578 to J. E. Scherer; 579-586, Chicago to Janesville Engineer Sage, to J. E. Cannon; 579-586, Chicago to Janesville Engineer Holt, to R. Broad; freight pool 40th avenue various, Engineer C. Smith, to G. P. Brittain; freight pool, 40th avenue various Engineer R. Davis, to M. Velsjohn; ditto, Engineer T. Anderson to J. P. Ekstrom; and ditto, Engineer G. Tucker to W. M. Quick.

Engineer assignments made the other day are as follows: T. E. Irving was appointed engineer on 112-109 with layover at Marshfield; L. E. Pruner is now engineer on Ft. Atkinson-Watertown switch run; J. E. Kendall is assigned 439-433 with layover at Grand Rapids.
The vacancies on 499-433, 515-52 are canceled on account of Engineers Edmund and Chaffin's work.
Another bulletin was also posted saying that W. S. Whitford of North Fond du Lac will receive applications as follows: one engineer on 217-221 and one engineer on 34-291.

TRAINLOAD OF HOBOES PASSES THROUGH HERE.

Several Chair Cars Furnished for Transportation of Snow Shovelers.
The advantage of being a snow shovel artist after a big storm was demonstrated to the railroad men yesterday when a big bunch of over two hundred of Hinky Dinks men from Chicago were carried through this city in a fine train of chair cars. When the big storm struck this part of the country the railroads had to secure a large number of snow shovelers and they drafted the Windy of the "unemployed" from the Windy City when set to work at good wages. The trainload which passed through here had cleared the track for a considerable distance and were being taken back to the city to await the spring migration. Compared to the limited which the mere mechanics and roundhouse employees have to ride on the chair car train would almost make them want to be hoboed.

Tramway Morrison's private car was on the rear end of this train on its way back to Chicago again.

Johnson Fish is substituting for James Gardener as engineer of the pit turnaround today.

Conductor Martin Carroll of the Fond du Lac way freight runs 51-52 is on the slack list today.

Machinist Joseph Smith left for Omaha, Nebraska, yesterday for a long visit with friends in that city. He expects to be gone about a month.

Chief Callor Erdman refused to carry any more dinner pails provided anybody would give him a chance.

Edward and William Sullivan returned to work this morning after short layoff.

Storekeeper Frank Hennessey had a narrow escape from serious injury Monday when he accidentally pushed his hand through a window pane. A few painful cuts were the only bad result which was offset in a way by the light which it new and clean pane of glass let in.

Machinist Walsh left for Milwaukee last night and expects to take a trip to Chicago before he returns to work.

SNOW PLOW WAS OUT FOR FIRST TIME LAST MONDAY.

Spohn was in the cab of the snow plow, and after they had gone a short distance north returned and cleared the track through to Crystal Lake which was slightly blocked with drifts.

QUIETLY WEDDED AT ORFORDVILLE CHURCH

Miss Karoline Kristofferson and Karl Delarud Married at Luther Valley Church This Afternoon.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Orfordville, Feb. 28.—Miss Karoline Kristofferson and Karl Delarud of this village were united in marriage at the Luther Valley church here at three o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. J. A. Bergh read the marriage service in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the groom's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Delarud will make their home on the Sprinkman farm near this place. They have many friends here who extend their best wishes.

Orfordville Locals.
Wm. F. Krogger has purchased the harness shop business of T. Gunderson. Mr. Gunderson will continue in the blacksmith business doing repair work, etc. Both will continue in the same shop as before.

R. O. J. Kvalo left this Tuesday morning for Lee, Ill., to attend a ministerial meeting (Kredemodet). Thursday, Feb. 22, Miss Gena Stevenson gave a musical at O. A. Peterson's, the home of one of her pupils. The following pupils took part: Neva Peterson, Mabel Hanson, Alfred Kvalo, Mildred Kvalo, Bernice Ovestrud, Marion Howe, Mabel Holden, Hannah Stevenson. Refreshments were served and the rest of the afternoon was spent in playing games. All enjoyed the day very much. Similar musicales will be given from time to time at the homes of different pupils.

At the M. E. church Sunday evening, March 10, the Rev. Wm. C. Salasbury will deliver a lecture for the benefit of the Women's Foreign Missionary society. The subject will be "The Kingdom of God." Pastor H. H. Denon, Dextro, will also be present. The lecture will be given at 7:30 P. M. Invited to the church of his dramatic March 10, to learn of his dramatic and thrilling career. No admission will be charged but a special collection will be taken for missions.

Mr. J. P. Silverthorn was rushing the season by being out with his auto Sunday. No wonder we had a blizzard Monday.

Mrs. John Marty of New Glarus spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. S. Holmstrom last week. Mrs. Emma Kelley and daughter, Anna and Mrs. John Kelley are visiting relatives in Hollet this week.

The Rev. J. A. Bergh left Wednesday afternoon to attend the meeting of the Madison circuit of the United church which convened at Blanchardville for a three days session. Otto Mahlum who has been ill some time, is improving.

M. K. Hamblett enjoyed a very pleasant time at the convention of rural mail carriers which met in Janesville Feb. 22.

Next Sunday evening, March 3, the Rev. Roseland of Chicago, secretary of the United Norwegian church, will give an address illustrated with stereopticon views, in the Luther Valley church. The subject being, "The Institutions and Missions of the United Church."

The Pandora will meet Friday evening at the home of O. T. Peterson. Mrs. C. O. Neas is suffering from an attack of the grip.

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CHARLES CARPENTER.

ADVENTISTS PLAN GOSPEL MEETINGS

W. W. Stebbins Will Begin Series of Meetings Thursday Evening in Kimball Mission Building.

Members of the Seven Day Adventist denomination will be in charge of a series of gospel meetings which will begin tomorrow evening at the church building known as the Mary Kimball Mission on South Jackson street between Center and Pleasant streets. Pastor W. W. Stebbins, 230 Chatham street, will be in charge of the meetings and will be assisted by Elder T. Stebbins. All are welcome to the meetings which will open at half past seven with a song service. Preaching will be given at 7:45.

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CHILD LABOR DISCUSSED AT EDUCATOR'S MEETING.

Carroll G. Pierce of Milwaukee, President of National Association One of Speakers.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 28.—Child welfare was the general topic of discussion this morning at one of the most interesting and profitable sessions of the annual convention of the department of superintendence of the National Educational Association, which has been in session here since the first of the week. Prominent among the speakers were Carroll G. Pierce of Milwaukee, president of the National Educational Association, and James H. Van Sickle, superintendent of public schools of Springfield, Mass.

Green Bay, Feb. 28.—Frank Wallace was bound over to stand trial on the charge of arson in the circuit court by the Municipal Judge S. J. Monahan yesterday, after evidence had been introduced by the state. One of the witnesses says he saw Wallace go to his farm and enter the house with a bag of straw a few minutes before the fire broke out and testified he saw him on the premises before the second fire broke out and go to a pine stump and strip off the wood just before the fire started which destroyed the building.

...FARMERS...

Do you need hired help? The Gazette will this week run a special classified section for farm help. Now is the time to get hired men and this is the opportunity to reach exactly the man you want. Call the Gazette Office, either phone, and tell your need. The charge is one cent a word when charged.

Ten O'Clock Auction Sale

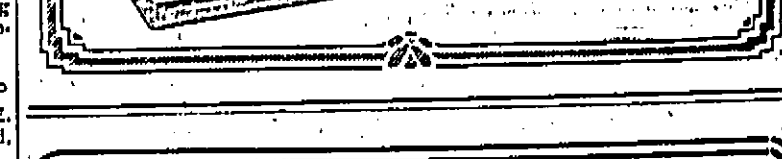
We will offer for sale at public auction March 2, 1912, 10 A. M., on the premises, the Hoffman farm, situated in Rock Prairie 5 1/2 miles east of Janesville. Consisting of 100 acres, being the E. 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 and the south twenty acres of the E. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4, section 24 of the town of Harmony. Well improved, good buildings and fences. Easy terms. For further information write

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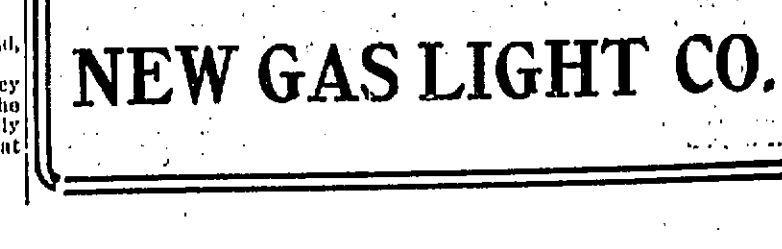
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SPORT

NAPS ARE DEFEATED
IN MATCH WITH SOX

Box Show Good Form and Take Two Out of Three Games at Hockett's Alley Last Night.

The Sox kept up their winning streak last night when they won two out of three games in the match played with the Naps at Hockett's alley. For one game they lost their form and allowed the Naps to play a margin of 65 pins in the second game, but in the other two they managed to have a big margin easily did the best work of the evening, winning the highest score in the third game, 194, and by rolling 182 and 159 in the first and second games. Details of the match follow.

NAPS.		
Gibson	168	178
Cunningham	101	187
Jeffries	119	132
Nyhr	128	137
Wilson	112	140
	618	774
SOX.		
Griddle	130	120
Baumann	182	159
Mell	105	140
Pelaez	132	131
Mend	146	159
	695	709

Coach Wilbert Robinson declares that Louis Drueke, of the Giants, will be one of the star pitchers of the season.

If the National Commission gives permission the Blue Grass league will place teams in Louisville and Covington, Ky.

Youngstown, now, in the Central league, claims to have played to 112, 900 persons in the Ohio-Pennsylvania league last season.

Manager Wallace, of the St. Louis Browns, has engaged Lou Criger, the former big league catcher, to coach the young pitchers.

This season all American league teams will dress at the grounds which will save the clubs several thousand dollars in taxicab bills.

Pitcher Maline Durbin, formerly with the Chicago Cubs and Cincinnati Reds, has signed with the Oakland Pacific league team.

With Topsy Hartel acting as pilot, Toledo fans believe the Mud Hens will be there or near, in the American Association race.

With "Gibby" Street and Ed Sweetey working behind the plate, the New York Yankees are well fixed in the backstop department.

The Pittsburgh Club paid \$51,000 for minor league players last fall and will have to pay \$5,000 additional if the players are retained.

Jack Lewis, who will be given a trial at second base by the Boston Red Sox, lives in Pittsburgh, where he conducts an undertaking business.

Scout Dick Kinsella, of the St. Louis Cardinals, will receive \$5,000 for three months' work, and is said to be the highest paid man in baseball.

President Charley Ebbetts, of the Brooklyn Club, considers Forbes Field, at Pittsburgh, the model baseball yard, and will embody many of its features in his new plant.

"Uncle Cy" Young is training at Hot Springs, Ark., for his twenty-third year in his league baseball. Cy says his wing is still strong and he will show the youngsters how the tarsers are twisted.

Harry McIntire, the spit-ball twirler, was the first Cub to report in Chicago. Harry was decorated with his spunk and made the girls with the diamond heels look like a lantern in a railroad shanty.

Al Demont and Tommy Shea have matched in box in Waterbury, Conn., March 14.

Jimmy Jarvis, who won the 135-pound boxing championship in Boston last year, is now boxing professionally in New York.

Carl Morris and Jim Stewart will do it over again, having re-matched for a 10 round bout to take place in Brooklyn, March 20.

Boxing and wrestling have got a strong hold in several of the large universities of the country, and tournaments between the students in the different classes are held frequently.

Ray Collins Signs Up For Life. Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 28.—The wedding of Miss Lillian Marie Twichell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Twichell of this city, and Ray William Collins, the well known professional baseball player, took place today at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. Collins, who has been one of the chief ballplayers of the Boston Americans' pitching staff since his graduation from the University of Vermont two years ago, first met his bride today when the Boston team came to California for its spring training last year.

Pittsburgh Dog Show Opens. Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 28.—The annual bench show of the Duquesne Kennel Club opened here today with more than 1,000 entries, representing leading kennels in all parts of the country. The exhibition will continue until Saturday.

LA CROSSE APPROVES NEW SYSTEM OF SANITATION. [By Associated Press.]

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 28.—The proposed Newell System has been approved by the state board of health from the sanitary standpoint with a few minor exceptions. Formulation to install the system has not been declared as the board must see the specifications of the proposed plan before issuing a final order.

Wisdom. The wisest man may be fooled, but not twice in the same way by the same person.



"The Next Present I Give To Old Man Grouch Will Be In 'The Mummy Class,'" says Felix to Fink

"DAD'S GIRL" PLAY
OF FUN AND PATHOS

Droll Situations, Romantic Plot and Effective Acting in New Play at The Myers.

Droll situations, quaint characters, a romantic story, and effective acting are among the commendable features of "Dad's Girl," the comedy staged at the Myers theatre last night. The plot is spun out in four acts, each in a different setting, the story moving steadily towards the denouement where all the difficulties that give it a note of tragedy are solved to the satisfaction of all but the thwarted lovers of true love. The different roles, grave and gay, are acted with a grace equal to their demands.

The theme of the play is the love of Willy Henderson, a refined and well educated man for an unlettered country lass, his marriage to her in spite of the firm opposition of his mother and sister who refuse to consider his union with a woman not his social equal.

Willy's marriage does not prove a happy one, his wife's uncouth speech and ignorance of the ways of polite society continually grate upon him. She does not seem to respond to his efforts to teach her better manners. She becomes conscious of her situation and her husband's discontent and consequently very unhappy. On the visit of her good hearted but ignorant father she opens her heart to him. He agrees to send her to a boarding school where she can acquire the education and refinement of manners that she so woefully lacks. Mrs. Henderson leaves her husband. He loses traces of her. She in a few years wins favor and renown by her beauty and culture. Mr. Henderson finally meets her under an assumed name at a ball where he recognizes her. His love for her survives and a reuniting follows.

POLITICS MAY PLAY
PART IN DISPUTES?

Difference Between the Coal Workers and Operators is Liable to Be Brought to An Issue.

New York, Feb. 28.—Whether the 180,000 mine workers employed in the hard coal region will lay down their picks and walk out on strike on the last day of next month, and the action inaugurates one of the greatest industrial struggles the United States has ever known, depends in a great measure upon the results of the conference between the miners and operators begun today at the offices of the New Jersey Central railroad in this city. George P. Buer, president of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal Company, appeared at the conference as the chief representative of the operators. The committee to present the demands of the miners consisted of John D. White, president of the United Mine Workers, and several of the other national officers and district representatives.

There has been power in the anthracite coal field for nine years. The present agreement, which has been in force since the Strike Commission, appointed by President Roosevelt in 1902, made its report, will expire at midnight on March 31 next. The miners have formulated demands and declared they will strike unless the demands are granted. As the operators say with equal positiveness they will grant the miners no concessions, the outlook certainly points to a general strike on April 1.

There are unique temptations to trouble at the present time. In the first place, an unusual situation prevails in that the wage agreements in both the soft and hard coal fields expire at the same time—then, too, it is a presidential year. This gives the mine workers' organization a strong weapon, because by simultaneous action in several mining regions the leaders could create a condition approaching a fuel famine. The anthracite miners demand a wage increase averaging 20 per cent, an eight-hour day, recognition of the union and incidentally collection by the coal companies of the union dues from the mine workers, abolition of the conciliation board, payment for mined coal by weight instead of by the carload, a one-year agreement and mine concessions.

The operators have not given any official notice of their intentions, but it is well known that they have no intention of granting these demands. While the mine workers argue that the increased cost of living has made necessary a wage increase, the operators hold that the "sliding scale" erected by the Strike Commission in 1902 gave the miners advantage of every advance in the price of coal, and that no flat advance in wages is possible under present conditions.

The operators admit that there has been an increase in the cost of living, but point out that the mine workers are making much better wages now because work is more steady. They declare that since the present agreement was first made nine years ago there has been no change in mining conditions; that the demands with the exception of the one for an increase in wages, are the same as

those which the Strike Commission considered and settled and that it is useless to go over them again.

The connection between the presidential campaign and the threatened strike is one of the most interesting phases of the situation. The experience of eleven years ago shows that the connection between the two is not an imaginary one. It has been well established by testimony in open court that the danger to the McKinley-Roosevelt ticket in 1900 forced the operators' hands in that year.

There was a strike on then, and the mine owners were holding their own, but the strike was brought to an end by a grant of a 10 per cent increase in wages. It was known soon after that the conservative business interests of the country, alarmed lest Bryan and free silver should succeed, represented to the mine owners that a continuance of the strike would endanger the Republican chances, and the persuasion was so powerful that the operators yielded.

Seemed Unreasonable. The pretty kindergarten teacher had spoken of the foliage of the trees as their clothes, but she was much surprised to hear we Japs pipe up: "But, Miss Blank, why do the trees take off their clothes in the winter and put them on when the summer's so warm?"

He Won't Limp Now. No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga. "I had a bad sore on my hip that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes, "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old, running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or piles. Try it. Only 25 cents at People's Drug Co.

The Theatre

"THE CHOCOLATE SOLDIER."

The phenomenal popularity of "The Chocolate Soldier" is due to the fact that it is a radiant contrast to the musical productions so common on our stage, in which a single song is relied upon to offset a hundred other defects of libretto and score. It is a pure and rare specimen of comic opera, a perfectly balanced combination of dramatic scenes, in which comedy, satire and romance are wittily blended, and superb songs, waltzes and marches, each typifying some passing mood of the action and each a genuine bit of melody. Bernard Strass's spirited romantic satire, "Arms and the Man," is the dramatic source of the opera, to which Oscar Straus has added the finest product of his musical genius in a score that amazes and amuses critics and playgoers of all degrees.

"The Chocolate Soldier" will pitch his tents in this city on Tuesday evening, March 5, at the Myers theatre, and he and his charming companions will rehearse their deeds of valor, their intrigues, romances and comic misadventures for the delight of theatregoers. Critics and the sternest of them, have searched in vain for flaws and blemishes in the individual and united work of the members of the Whitney Opera Company. Finish, precision, and a dramatic skill that is rare in companies of this kind are the well-known merits of Mr. Whitney's organization. The wild grandeur of the Bulgarian mountains, in whose vastness the scene is laid, afford a striking background for the rich costumes, the many-headed and the elaborate pomposity of the men and the voluptuousness of the women in that faraway land. All

this Mr. Whitney has represented in his production with distinctive grace and elegance. The unusually difficult orchestration of Strauss' masterpiece is secured in the hands of the specialists, orchestra of picked musicians with which Mr. Whitney has equipped the company. Needless to say, Mr. Whitney maintains the same excellence in the casting of the company as he has displayed in everything he ever did and has chosen Frances Howitt to interpret the difficult role of Nadina, which she has proven herself very capable of doing. For the Chocolate Soldier he is giving us Roy Purvance who disports himself with remarkable grace, besides being the possessor of an almost grand opera voice. In selecting Emma Loomis for the role of Manella he has reached the ideal, and comes down to earth with the finest and best Menalcas in the person of J. Russell Brown. Others equally good are Lotta Gale, J. F. McDonough, Olive Randolph and George Oak.

"THE SERVANT IN THE HOUSE."

Can a wife love her husband too much? That is one of the startling questions propounded in "The Servant in the House," the great international success which Gaskell and MacVitty will present at the Myers Theatre on Tuesday March 12. Mr. Charles Rann Kennedy, the author, boldly declares that it is possible for a woman to neglect her own proper development when obsessed by a too-worshipful love of her "lord and master" and that such a love may even in time have the effect of turning the object of her devotion away from her. The awakening of the wife to a realization of this fact is one of the most dramatic incidents in this remarkable play.

Poor Economy. Probably the poorest economy in the world is to buy things you don't want in order to make acquaintances you don't need.—Galveston News.

Natural Trait. The people who are weighed in the balance and found wanting are apt to complain that the scales are out of order.

Orfordville. Orfordville, Feb. 28.—A few neighbors and friends of M. K. Hamblett gathered at his home Tuesday evening for a party in honor of his birthday. It was a complete surprise. Freshmen were served and all enjoyed a good social time.

Mrs. E. Flammang, who has spent the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Max P. Gomer, went to Chicago this morning, where she will visit a few days before returning to her home at Denmark, Wis. We hope she liked our village well enough to come again sometime.

The Rev. C. W. Doug of Waterloo, arrived Tuesday to spend the rest of the week with his wife, who has been assisting her mother, Mrs. H. C. Taylor during the latter's illness.

M. K. Hamblett was unable to travel his mail route Monday. The snow was drifted worse than at any other time during the winter, necessitating shoveling in many places. On Tuesday he made most of the trip.

Dr. Forbush also had a hard trip through the drifts, having to go through fields, getting stuck and having to unhitch, etc.

Matt Cantlin of Janesville, spent an evening last week in the village.

Recent visitors to Janesville were: Mrs. S. V. Forbush, Mary Ovesrud, Miss Olesch, Andrew Svendsen, O. J. Hines, Oscar Rosen, Don Reilly, John Jacobson, Noyah Hendrickson and Gelineau Gundersen.

Albert Amundson from near Newark, visited over Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. G. Anderson.

Seemed Unreasonable. The pretty kindergarten teacher had spoken of the foliage of the trees as their clothes, but she was much surprised to hear we Japs pipe up: "But, Miss Blank, why do the trees take off their clothes in the winter and put them on when the summer's so warm?"

He Won't Limp Now. No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga. "I had a bad sore on my hip that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes, "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old, running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or piles. Try it. Only 25 cents at People's Drug Co.

Feb. 28, 1912.—The storm on the Atlantic coast has moved a little northward, and is in the vicinity of Nova Scotia and Newfoundland, it continued to cause gales along the north Atlantic coast, and a trail of unsettled weather, with local snow flurries stretched westward from it along the northern border as far as the Rockies. Somewhat colder weather has followed this storm, but the drop amounted to a cold wave only in Ontario and Quebec.

An area of high atmospheric pressure is moving southward along the eastern slope of the Rockies. It is accompanied by a decided drop in temperature, especially in Montana and North Dakota. Fair, cool weather prevails in the south and southwest.

For this vicinity the indications are that the weather will continue fair tonight and Thursday. It will be slightly colder.

Had a Practical Mind. An English Sabbath school teacher was laboring away on the subject of eternal punishment. One small girl sat so entranced by her lurid descriptions of fire and brimstone that the teacher was much encouraged until translated by the explanatory question of: "Please, teacher, what becomes of all the smoke?"

To discontinue your advertising is to shut off the power. The car will run for some distance by its own momentum, but the stop is certain. There is no such thing in business as perpetual motion.

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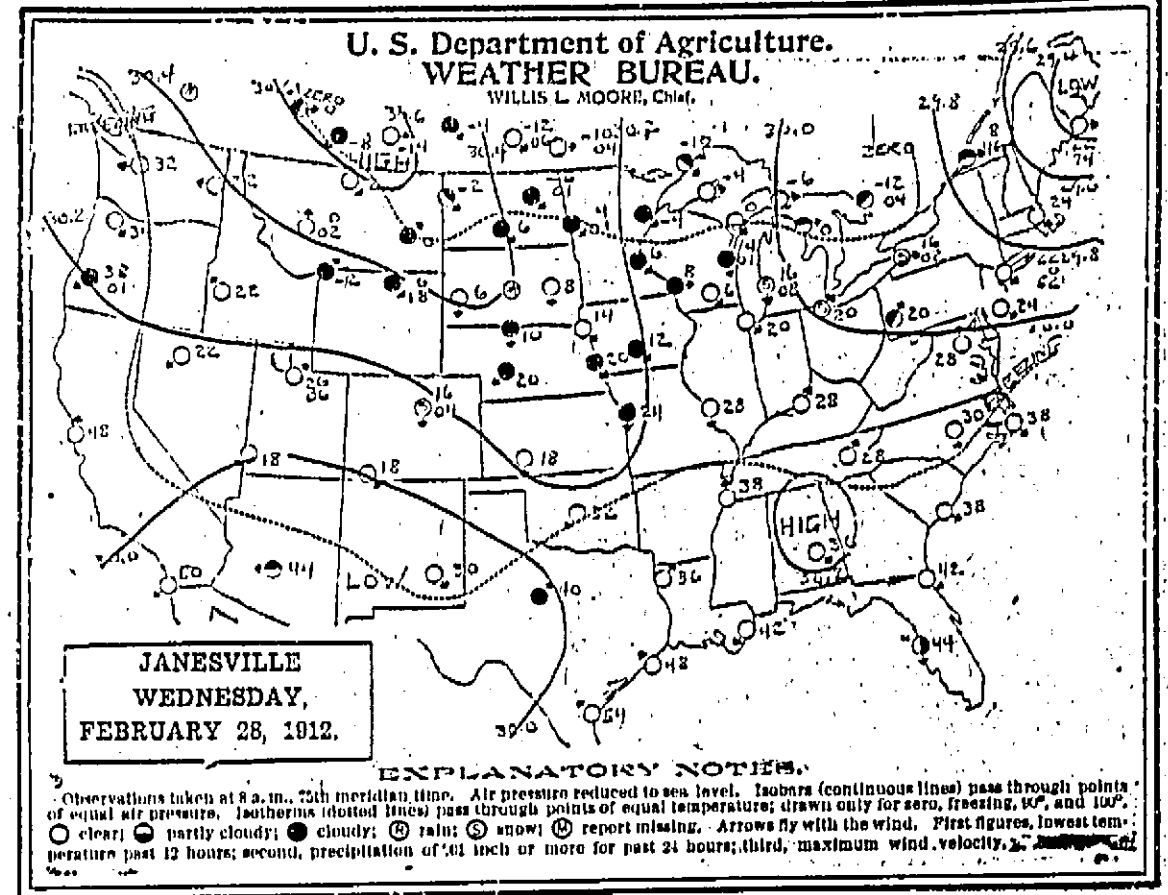
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Think of the chance offered to economize with this great stock to pick from.

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Manufacturers' New Goods Sale

Direct From the Mills

Greatest Sale of the Season. Sale Continues Until Saturday, March 9th

The tremendous crowds that are attending the NEW GOODS SALE bear ample evidence to the unequalled values that we are offering. EVERY DEPARTMENT IN THE BIG STORE HAS CONTRIBUTED GENEROUSLY TO THIS GREAT SALE. Come expecting the very best values, the very lowest prices for the highest grade merchandise you've ever shared in.

NEW GOODS, NEW STYLES. It's a sale of the brightest, newest and most wanted fabrics of the season at prices you cannot afford to pass.

Women's Tailored Suits at	\$5.95	Velvet Rugs seamless, 8x12, at	\$12.50
Silk Petticoats at	\$1.95	Axminster Rugs, 27x54 in., at	\$1.39
Women's Wash Waists at	.69c	10,000 yards of Loom Ends direct from the Mills, consisting of Percales, lawns and Batiste; these goods sell at 10c to 15c a yard off the price; Loom ends run from 1/2 to 5/8 yards pieces and will be sold while they last at only	
Linen Damask, per yard	.42 1/2c		
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WEATHER FORECAST.

For Janesville and vicinity: Fair and colder tonight and Thursday.

A FALLEN IDOL.

Thompson has shied his back into the ring and like the old backslider, has jumped into the square circle after it. Perhaps he will wear away the new silk like the Squire has given as a prize with the half crown in his pocket as he goes walking and perhaps—well, perhaps—he will lose his old rough rider hat and have to crawl under the ropes. It is a question that is up to the voters. The press of the country, the conservative press, that is, do not approve of Thompson's act. The Milwaukee Free Press treats of the matter as a sad spectacle and calls the strenuous one "A Fallen Idol." In discussing the topic the Free Press says:

"Theodore Roosevelt's announcement that he will accept the nomination for president if tendered him" is the most pathetic event in American later-day politics.

"Here is a citizen, favored and honored by the people like no other in the land, whose political career has brought him the limit of reputation and reward, who has served two terms in the highest office at the nation's disposal, who was permitted to dictate his successor, who in his private capacity has been regarded as a national mentor—here is this citizen eager for a third elevation to the executive chair, eager for it in defiance of the time-honored custom which he has unqualifiedly approved, eager for it though he must oppose his friend and chosen successor, eager for it though he has not and cannot advance one single, cogent reason why this successor, on the ground of principle and accomplishment, is not entitled to succeed himself."

"We say that Theodore Roosevelt in this role of a third-term candidate is the most pathetic figure which American politics has offered in many a day—pathetic because it reveals a man with elements of real greatness, and with his fame secure, fallen victim to that megalomania, and the vaunting ambition that grows out of it, which has destroyed so many children of fortune."

"No newspaper is better entitled to make this criticism than the Free Press, because it has supported Theodore Roosevelt from his sudden accession to the presidency in 1901 to his fight against the New York bosses in 1910. Strange as has appeared his attitude toward the Taft administration, inconsistent as has been his entering to 'insurgency,' disavowing as has been his handling and having over certain radical propositions and his ultimate qualified acceptance of them, we have been loath to interpret all this maneuvering without regard for obligation and profession as the prelude to a third-term candidacy."

"Now that we do know it, we cannot but revise our opinion of the character of this brilliant, aggressive and powerful American. Without denying his genuine service to the people—for a hungry man may bring bread—we must consider him moved not by legitimate or ideal considerations, but by the promptings of an ambition, of an overweening egotism, which sets at naught conviction and honor, which is as willing to play the game of opportunity and expediency with the populace today as it once was willing to play it hand in glove with the worst bosses of New York."

THE COMING PRIMARY.

On the nineteenth of March the voters of Janesville will cast their ballots for a mayor and two commissioners under the new commission law. While there will be two candidates for mayor in the field at the April election and four candidates for commissioner, the individual voter has but the privilege of voting for one mayoralty candidate and two commissioners at either the election or primary.

The lists are now closed and all the aspirants for office are in the open. The voters can judge for themselves whom they will select and a word of warning at this time is not out of place. Do not be swayed by sympathy for this or that candidate. If you were hiring men to handle your personal affairs you would select the ones most capable. Do so in choosing your candidates for city offices.

Between now and March 19th you are liable to hear of the great benefits certain candidates would bestow upon the city or have bestowed during their terms of office. Look these claims over carefully and sift the wheat from the chaff and you will find there is a lot of guff about the claims.

It is easy for a man to say he completed this or that public corporation to accomplish wonders, but investigate for yourself and see if the statements are true. For the past three years Janesville's cases against public utilities have been the laughing stock of the Railroad Commission and thus far no real benefit has been gained to the city.

The Water Works case has proven a boomerang on the head of the person who started it. The Gas company reduced their price of gas, or rather changed their price, without any suggestion even from the commission. At different times of the year the service of the Electric company is liable to fall below the standard, owing to wear of equipment or other causes. No complaint has been filed with the commission, but as is customary they made an inspection and ordered changes made in the

workings of that company.

As far as the question of reducing the fare to the New Year from ten to five cents, this was done by Otto Schlicker, an engineer on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road, who employed an attorney to present his case to the commission. The recent tax assessment is too fresh in the minds of all to be forgotten. Wait until the taxpayers discover what the assessment really means. Wait until they find their personal property tax put way up into the clouds—then they will talk and perhaps act.

Claims of having accomplished the above alleged benefits for the citizens of Janesville are being circulated in the interests of a certain candidate, investigate them for yourself before believing them. Look into the matter carefully and you will find that all the claims made are absolutely absurd and made only as a catch vote proposition.

The primary is but a few days off. When you make your selections of your candidates be sure and pick out men you can trust. Do not take someone's word for facts, but investigate. Look into the matter for yourself and see the various qualifications of the candidates set side by side and pick out the best men possible for the place they seek.

NOT ALL ONE-SIDED.

Colonel Roosevelt comes out as the republican nominee for President on the call of eight governors. Immediately a dozen other republican governors send to President Taft their oath of allegiance to him. It looks as though the Roosevelt movement was not all one-sided after all, and that the old cry of "Deaf Taft or Bust" is what caused him to make his sudden decision to allow his name to be used.

We are told by agricultural experts that this cold weather is a good thing for the crops of the coming summer. Perhaps this is true, but it is also a good thing for the coal dealers this winter.

Governor Wilson says his hat is in the ring but his head is still in it. Is it possible the fiery Colonel Watter-son has decapitated the gentle educator?

Pedro Nel Oquiba must also be classed among the ranks of the men who talked too much and Colombia is ready to forget that he ever existed.

"That Houn' Dawg" song is really worth preserving. There is nothing sentimental in the lines, no matter who claims it.

Damon and Pythias were never rival candidates for any office and yet they made a name for themselves in history.

Lawrence, Mass., needs fewer bullets and more reconciliation it would seem, if the daily reports are true.

This recall of the Judiciary is a question that needs a whole lot of explaining after all.

Juarez is now the Medicine Hat of all revolutionary storms.

DELAY OPENING OF WOMAN'S INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION

Merchants Request Longer Time To Prepare Exhibits—Will Be Given In Grand Central Palace.

New York, Feb. 28.—The opening of the Woman's Industrial Exposition, which was to have taken place today, has been deferred for two weeks in order that the merchants and others may have more time to prepare their exhibits. The exhibition will be held in the Grand Central Palace and will be the first affair of its kind ever given in this country. Ten of the leading civic and philanthropic organizations of New York are in charge of the arrangements. One of the features will be comparative exhibitions of old methods, of hand labor, and up-to-date machine methods of doing the same work by women.

ARGENTINE MINISTER HONORED BY PITTSBURGH UNIVERSITY

Honorary Degree of LL.D. Was Conferred Upon Dr. Romulo S. Naon, In Recognition of Services.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 28.—In connection with the 125th anniversary celebration of the University of Pittsburgh, the authorities of the university conferred the honorary degree of LL.D. upon Dr. Romulo S. Naon, the Argentine minister at Washington. The degree was conferred by Chancellor McCormick in the presence of the university trustees and faculty and a large number of guests. The honor was conferred upon Dr. Naon in recognition of his important services as professor of constitutional law and member of the governing board of the University of Buenos Ayres, the foremost educational institution of South America.

SEEK MASSACHUSETTS MAN FOR EXTENSION BUREAU.

Y. M. C. A. Secretary Offered \$2,000 To Take Charge of One of Wisconsin Districts.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Madison, Wis., Feb. 28.—William Lamble, secretary of the Northampton, Massachusetts, Y. M. C. A., has been extended to a call to take charge of a district of the extension work of the University of Wisconsin at a salary of \$2,000 a year. Mr. Lamble is reluctant to leave his work in Northampton, which he took up only a few months ago, but will probably accept the Wisconsin offer.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance at our recent bereavement, also the friends for the beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. JOHN DAVEY, AND FAMILY.

PIONEER CELEBRATES EIGHTIETH BIRTHDAY

C. H. Dickinson of Edgerton Is Honored at Banquet Attended by Over a Hundred Friends.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Edgerton, Feb. 28.—Last night over one hundred invited guests assembled in Woodman hall to participate in celebrating the eightieth anniversary of Mr. C. H. Dickinson's birth. It was a gathering of the representative men of Edgerton and many, he rightfully claimed as the "event of the season."

As the guests arrived they were ushered to the platform in the rear of the hall and were given by Mr. Dickinson who, after receiving them his welcome, directed that they be taken to the center of the room and provided with tickets which gave them places at the banquet table.

When all had arrived and before the banquet, Mr. Dickinson was presented with a gold-headed cane. Hon. L. E. Gottle, in a most fitting speech, made the presentation, and Mr. Dickinson happily responded, thanking his friends for the splendid gift, but at the same time insisted that a man at only eighty had very little use for a cane. He took occasion also to invite all to be present at his one hundredth anniversary which will be held February 27, 1912.

The banquet was served by Mrs. C. McCarthy at the Bon Ton restaurant and the three-course spread was partaken of with great relish by all in attendance. At the close of the feast the guests returned to the hall where the literary entertainment of the evening was held.

Mr. Dickinson gave a short talk to his friends, reviewing the advancements in all lines during the age in which he lived. He believed that eighty years which his life covered had seen greater advancement, improvement and inventions than any equal number of years in the world's history. A brief account of his eightieth anniversary was given and a list of the guests present at that time was read. There were thirty-seven of them, and of this number only thirteen are living, most of them being present last evening.

Hon. L. E. Gottle acted as toastmaster and in response to invitations appropriate speeches were made by Rev. MacIntosh, Hon. L. C. Whitely, Rev. Schoenfeld, C. H. Babcock, Rev. Linsvold and Prof. Holt.

Mr. Dickinson was one of the pioneers who came to Edgerton in the fifties and has been interested in its growth and advancement up to the present day. He served his country in the Civil War, took part in many engagements, and can tell in detail of the hardships and sufferings of life in the southern prisons.

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At the eightieth milestone yesterday his mind was as clear, his step as quick and his eye as bright as many a man not half his age. He is a royal entertainer and always at his best when surrounded by friends and their number has no limit. Every guest present last evening alighted a willingness to join with Mr. Dickinson in celebrating his eightieth anniversary and his earnest hope was that the event might take place.

To conclude the evening's entertainment all joined in that beautiful hymn most appropriate for the occasion of this kind: "Blessed be the Tie That Binds."

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Margaret Miller. Mrs. Margaret Miller died at one o'clock this morning at her home, 508 Walnut street, at the age of fifty years. She had been ill for a month with a kidney disorder. Mrs. Miller was born in Janesville, January 1, 1852. Her maiden name was Margaret. She was married to George Miller, now deceased, surviving her are one son, Herbert Miller, three brothers, Thomas and Michael of this city, and Cornelius of Chicago. One sister, Catherine, is dead. Funeral services will be held at nine o'clock this morning at St. Patrick's church, and burial will be in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Mrs. Patrick Dugan. Mrs. Patrick Dugan passed away at 11:00 o'clock this morning at her home, 407 Lincoln street, having been ill only since last Sunday. Her sudden death comes as a great surprise to many of her friends who were not even aware that she had been sick. Mrs. Dugan was a woman whose amiable qualities won her the esteem of a large number of people. Mourning her loss as a devoted wife and mother and her husband and a ten year old son, Leo. Other surviving kin are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Dugan of Portville and two sisters, Mrs. Conway of the same place, and Mrs. E. C. Finley of the town of Lincoln. Mrs. Dugan was born in Louisville and has spent her entire life in this vicinity.

Mrs. McHenry. The body of Mrs. McHenry, a former Janesville resident arrived here from Chicago over the Northwestern railway at 4:25 p. m. yesterday and were taken at once to Oak Hill cemetery for burial. David Watt, Edward Carpenter, Harry G. Carter and Frank L. Smith were pall bearers. Mrs. McHenry before her marriage was a Miss Ellison and her father was proprietor of the Myers hotel for six or seven years. She leaves one brother, Glen Ellison, a prominent Chicago clergyman, a sister, Mrs. Baxter of Lima, Ohio, and one daughter who lives in Montreal.

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ROYAL BAKING-POWDER Absolutely Pure

Makes Home Baking Easy

No other aid to the housewife is so great, no other agent so useful and certain in making delicious, wholesome foods

The only Baking Powder

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Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

No Alum No Lime Phosphates

and milk. I did not dare to eat cross-bread for fear of getting a pair of green socks that I got for Christmas.

LADIES ENTERTAIN AT COLONIAL PARTY

Clinton Twentieth Century Club Held Pleasant Meeting at Home of Mrs. D. G. Smith.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Clinton, Feb. 28.—The annual guest night of the Ladies' Twentieth Century club was held at the home of Mrs. D. G. Smith. It was a homey evening. The ladies on the committee and their guests at the door, dressed in colonial costumes. After the roll call Mrs. Spaulding, chairman of the committee, took charge of the program. Souvenir cards with appropriate verses were given each person present. The ladies quartet was the first number and their singing was received with delight by all present, followed by a reading by Miss Helen Tinknor of Waukesha. Her rendition of "Long Ago" was wonderful for a mere child of twelve years of age. D. G. Smith's cornet solo with piano accompaniment was very fine. After the program a small tree was carried into the room laden with imitation red cherries, and then removed and the ladies were requested to guess the number of cherries on the tree, the one guessing the nearest being presented with a prize. Eight ladies guessed the correct number and upon drawing cuts Mrs. R. C. Stewart was declared winner and presented with a fine cherry pie. Refreshments

were served during the evening.

Other Clinton News.

Mrs. John Miller went to Janesville yesterday.

C. W. Patchon came down from Janesville yesterday morning.

Harrison Wakeford of Rockford was here yesterday.

Miss Ella Corning is afflicted with whooping cough.

Mrs. William Tulea of Elkhorn was here yesterday visiting relatives and friends.

Meddies C. C. Smith, F. M. Barus, H. C. Stewart, F. H. Reeder, W. H. Hughes and F. W. Herron will give a leap year dance at Drake's hall Friday evening, March 1, which promises to be one of the most enjoyable events of the season. Hatch's orchestra of Janesville will furnish the music.

Miss Marguerite Collier was home from Deloit college yesterday.

It Certainly Does.

"The" neoplane is in its infancy yet. "Then it's a wonderfully precocious infant." "In what way?" "It's already going the pace that kills."

Almost Lost His Life.

S. A. Bid, of Mason, Mich., will never forget his terrible exposure to a merciless storm. "It gave me a dreadful cold," he writes, "that caused severe pain in my chest, so it was hard for me to breathe. A neighbor gave me several doses of Dr. Kline's New Discovery which brought great relief. The doctor said I was on the verge of pneumonia, but to continue with the Discovery. I did so and two bottles completely cured me." Use only this quick, safe, reliable medicine for coughs, colds, or any throat or lung trouble. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by People's Drug Co.

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Ask to have our representative call and explain. Telephone to "Bell 1510." A Bell Telephone in your house for 31-3c per day.

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Presenting High Class Plays.
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THE AMERICAN GIRL
Prices: 10c, 20c and 30c.
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When you think of dentistry, you naturally shrink, but if I do your work, you will not find it a hard matter at all.

I save you Pain, and I save you money. Two very desirable features.

DR. F. T. RICHARDS
Office over Hall & Sayles.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE**First National Bank**

JANESVILLE, WIS.

At the close of business February 20, 1912.

RESOURCES	
Loans	\$688,080.65
Overdrafts	55.91
United States Bonds	78,000.00
Other Bonds	325,228.20
Due from banks	275,822.42
Cash	85,668.06
Due from U. S. Treasurer	362,488.69
	4,750.00
	1,456,003.45
LIABILITIES:	
Capital	\$125,000.00
Surplus	85,000.00
Undivided Profits	54,360.67
Credited Outstanding	71,400.00
Deposits	1,119,842.88
	\$1,456,003.45

Three per cent interest paid on Savings Deposits and on Demand Certificates of Deposit.

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Small Gold Fillings	\$1.50
Small Enamel Fillings	\$1.50
Small Alloy Fillings	75c
Porcelain Crowns	\$5.00
Gold Crowns	\$8.00
Full Upper Crown	\$8.00 and \$10.00
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Specialties, in Improved Enamel Fillings	

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Orange Sale

Another lot of those fine Tharlan Indian River Oranges. Sweet, juicy and thin skinned at the special price of 25c dozen.

Seedless Grape Fruit 10c.
Fanny Apples.
Choice Bananas 10c and 25c.
White Grapes 20c lb.
Pitted Dates, 15c pk.
Washed Pitted Figs, 20c lb.
Something extra.

Head Lettuce

10c

Very nice and crisp.
Green Onions and Peppers.
Fancy H. H. Radishes.
White Clean Celery 12c stalk.

Olive Oil

In full measure pint tins at 50c. Very finest quality and in a desirable package — doing away with the necessity of bothering with jars and bottles.

Genuine Gluten Flour 45c pk.
Endeavor Bran 15c pk.
N. S. Breakfast Food 25c pk.
Egan Flour, finest made, \$1.70.
Colonial Coffee, the best, 38c lb.
Dunbar's highest grade Molasses, 25c.
Rich Fruit Cake, 30c lb.
Lady Fingers 12c doz.
Domino 1/2 lb. sugar, 25c pk.
Pastry Flour, 5 lb. bag 25c

Dedrick Bros.**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.**

FOR SALE: A good horse, J. F. Schoof, Corn Exchange, 300-31.

FOR SALE: Rose Comb Rhode Island Red hens, pullets and cockerels; also Buckeye brooder and Philo coop, J. D. Brownell, 224 Jackson St. New phone 490 blue.

TO EXCHANGE: 312 acre stock and dairy farm in Central Wisconsin for Canada property. A. J. Neese, owner, 1003 McArthur Building, Winthrop, Man. 72-41.

FOR SALE: Furnishings and fixtures in 15-room hotel, business well established in Chicago suburb, moderate rent and lease to suit tenant, small investment. Address, "Hotel," care Gazette, 300-31.

FOR RENT: 80-acre farm on shares or for cash rent. Inquire J. E. Boettcher, Bell phone 1417.

TO START CAMPAIGN FOR RAISING FUNDS

FOR NEW ADDITION TO THE MERCY HOSPITAL TO BE BUILT THIS YEAR.

MUCH MONEY NEEDED

When Completed it Will Increase the Capacity of the Hospital to Nearly Three Times Its Present Service

Janesville citizens will be asked within the next ten days to give their donation to the proposed addition of Mercy Hospital. Twenty-five thousand dollars are needed and it is hoped by the Sisters that a good part of this sum will be donated, payable either at once or in six months. The plan for the addition, which is in reality a new building entirely, to be located west of the present structure, call for accommodations for sixty patients. It will be three stories high, modern and model throughout with the latest sanitary hospital services. Plans have been drawn for this structure but it is not known whether they can be had or not until it is found how much money can be raised.

The present hospital building will be converted into the training school home for the nurses and Sisters in charge. At present the hospital can only accommodate eighteen to twenty patients at one time without seriously crowding the structure and the addition is needed very badly. The Sisters trust that the response to their request for financial aid will be liberal and expect to start on their crusade during the next week.

ASKS CHIEF TO HELP HER LOCATE MISSING BROTHER

Mrs. Mary Moan Delaney, of Howard, S. D., Seeking to Learn Whereabouts of Joseph Moan Who Worked Here

Mrs. Mary Moan Delaney has written Chief of Police George Appleby requesting his aid in locating her brother, Joseph Moan, whom she has not heard from in two years. He was then working in Janesville, and according to her best knowledge, engaged in shoveling coal. It is not his habit to stay very long in one place. He often does farm work and his sister thinks he may be in southern Wisconsin or northern Illinois. He was born near Belvidere and his father lives there at 530 Warren street. Moan is described as thirty years old, five feet, seven or eight inches tall, and weighing between 130 and 140 pounds. He has blue eyes and stands very straight.

DRAVE STORM'S FURY FOR SAKE OF MARRIAGE

Miss Ada H. Livens and Benjamin Louthan Co. To Rockford Monday To Take Nuptial Vows.

Miss Ada H. Livens and Benjamin H. Louthan, both of Janesville, did not mind a little thing like a snow blockade when they had arrangements all made to go to Rockford Monday and be married.

They reached Beloit by interurban service and when they learned the line between Rockford and Beloit was out of commission they boarded a steam car at the Line City and reached Rockford in good order.

Having telephoned ahead to make sure the court house was open, they secured a marriage permit and were waiting to the home of Elder H. L. Martin, were seen made husband and wife, in spite of the blizzard and the snow drifts.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

The Modern Woodmen of Florence Camp No. 356, M. W. of A. and the Royal Neighbors of Teutonic Camp No. 3, of A. O. U. E. cordially invited to give the good of the order by the Bonnet Committee of Crystal Camp No. 122, H. N. of A. in the West Side I. O. O. F. Hall, Wednesday evening, February 28, 1912. Alice E. Carey, Recorder.

Boy Scouts will meet this evening at the B. W. V. hall at 7:30.

Janesville Chapter, No. 69, O. E. S. will hold a regular meeting in Masonic hall this evening at 7:30.

Miss Clara Granlund will be at Miss Wilson's studio on Monday, March 4, to meet all those wishing lessons in voice.

The O. E. S. Study class will meet Thursday at 2:30 with Mrs. Charles Corrow, No. 327 No. Terrace St.

The annual meeting of the Johnstown Anti-Home Thief society will be held in Woodman hall, Johnstown Center, on Monday, March 4, at 2:00 p. m. John Norton, Secy.

Notice To Lovers Of Art.

The Janesville Art League has been fortunate in securing for exhibition a large representative collection of the works of that famous painter of children, Adam Elmyr Albright.

Mr. Albright studied at the Art Institute, Chicago; Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, and in Munich and Paris. He has received many honors and prizes and is a regular exhibitor at all the art museums in this country. He has also been invited to exhibit in Paris.

But better than honors or prizes is the universal admiration and appreciation manifested by the general public for his sympathetic interpretation of child life.

This exhibition will open Wednesday evening, Feb. 28, at Library hall. The usual price for admission.

H. H. M'DANIEL BUYS OUT A MADISON FIRM

Takes Over Business of Small and Stevens—Sells Bicycle and Repair Business Here to J. A. Beecher.

H. H. M'Daniel, proprietor of the bicycle and motor-cycle business on the Corn Exchange, yesterday bought out the business of Small & Stevens, a well known Madison sporting goods and bicycle firm which has done business in that city for fifteen years, and this morning closed a deal for the transfer of his bicycle and repair business in Janesville to J. A. Beecher of Wilton. Mr. M'Daniel will retain the Harley-Davidson, Indian, and Excelsior motor-cycle agencies for this city and adjacent territory, and have his headquarters here. The Madison business will be carried on under the name of the H. D. Stevens Cycle company, and Mr. Stevens will be resident manager. Mr. Beecher, who has acquired the Janesville business, will take possession March 1.

BRIEF PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Mary Hoessling of Paynette, is the guest of relatives here.

Dr. Fred Sutherland made a professional call in Milton yesterday.

Archibald Reid had business in Fort Atkinson Tuesday.

Harry DeLeon was an Evansville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Sarah Jackman has as her guest, Mrs. Barney of Fort Atkinson.

Mrs. Allen Lovejoy is entertaining her mother, Mr. John H. Thomas of Dayton, Ohio.

Miss Gladys Clifford has accepted a position with the Baker Mfg. Co., of Evansville, resigning her position as stenographer for the Calorico company.

Max Milburn has accepted a position in the local department of a Milwaukee insurance company.

J. L. Bostwick and daughter were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

William Winner who was operated upon at Mercy hospital a short time ago was taken to his home yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Ralphy and children have returned from Texas, where they have been visiting for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lovejoy were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

C. S. Putnam, who has been in New York on business has returned home.

Miss Jennie Sykes is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sykes in Milton Junction.

Mrs. C. H. Whittington entertained yesterday her son-in-law, H. E. Dick, of Chicago.

Her Florvright of Neenah, is the guest of Janesville relatives.

Dr. J. V. Stevens and E. N. Sartell went to Watertown Tuesday.

Miss Adeline Best of Chicago, is at the home of her mother, Mrs. Louise Best in the Waverly flats.

District Attorney Stanley Dunwiddie had business in Evansville Tuesday.

The Rev. Joseph C. Hazen announced in a telegram that his mother's condition is considerably improved and that he hopes to be able to return for the Thursday evening meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jackman have returned from a sojourn in Cuba and other parts of the south.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shurtliff and grandson Myrtle Williams, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Mulharg in Watertown.

Mr. and Mrs. George King made a trip to Chicago yesterday.

Miss Milburn has returned to Milwaukee, after spending the past two months at the home of her parents in this city.

J. C. Lyons and J. A. Denning went to Chicago this morning to attend the cement show which is being held in the Coliseum.

Samuel Gallagher of Madison, was a Janesville visitor yesterday.

The Misses Anna Hutt and Dora Hardy of Monroe, spent yesterday here.

Mrs. J. W. Laughlin is ill at her home on Milton avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lovejoy left for a short visit in Chicago yesterday.

Rev. J. C. Hazen has returned from Pennsylvania where he was called by the serious illness of his mother. Her condition improved slightly and he was able to return Monday night.

George King was a business visitor in Chicago yesterday.

Dr. Sartell was a professional call in Watertown yesterday.

Dr. Stevens was a visitor in Watertown yesterday.

EXCELLENT EXHIBITS RECEIVED FOR FAIR

Farmers Have Sent Their Choicest Products To Show Which Opens Tomorrow—Band Concerts Every Day.

Displays received for the Mid-winter fair to be opened tomorrow at the West Side link promise by their number and excellent and varied character an exhibition which will eclipse anything of the kind ever held in Janesville. Every department, dairy, grains, and domestic products, promise to have its full quota of exhibits, arranged in the most attractive form possible. Their interest awakened and stimulated by the one hundred and fifty prizes to be awarded, the farmers of the county have responded liberally with displays of all kinds, and Secretary Lane of the Commercial Club has spared no pains to make the big fair a success.

Entertainment features have not been neglected in the plans for the show. Band concerts will be given every afternoon between three and five o'clock, as well as an address by prominent agricultural authorities. Prof. H. D. Leth, chief agronomist of the University of Wisconsin will deliver an address on grain culture Friday afternoon, and act as judge of the grain exhibits. The names of other speakers secured will be announced later.

The people of Janesville and other Rock County cities will find much to interest them as well as the farmers. The displays will give them a good idea of the county's agricultural resources, their growth and development. Samples of cheese and butter exhibited will have a peculiar interest for the householder, and give a good idea of the county's agricultural resources, their growth and development.

The Mid-winter fair in several respects has advantages over the county fair. Farmers have more leisure to prepare exhibits, and use care in their selection. More time is possible to attend. Grains are displayed at the best possible time, when farmers are preparing to select their seed for spring sowing, and desire to come into touch with those having the best to offer. Fewer precautions are required to prevent perishable exhibits from spoiling.

The exhibition will last three days, giving all who desire an opportunity to attend. No admission will be charged and the public in general are given an invitation to attend.

Owing to the heavy snow and partial blockade of the roads it has been decided to hold the entire open until Thursday noon.

T. E. Welch has accepted the position of judge of the tobacco entered, thus insuring the services of an expert in this line.

CARPENTERS FAVOR STATE ASSOCIATION

Representatives of Milwaukee Carpenters Guests of Local Organization Last Night.

Six representatives of the Milwaukee Association of Master Carpenters were in this city last evening as guests of the local organization of carpenters and addressed the meeting held at Van Pool brothers' shop on North River street on the advisability of forming a state association. The Milwaukee order is urging the state organization and the plans are outlined by the Milwaukee men last night met with favor among the local carpenters. Various advantages were seen to be possible from such a move and it is probable that some definite action will be taken in the near future.

Other matters of interest to contractors and builders were discussed at the meeting last night in which the Milwaukee men participated. They enjoyed their visit to Janesville to the fullest extent. This morning they were given a sleigh ride through the city and left on the 10:30 train for Milwaukee. The members of the delegation were: William Van Hiltten, secretary of the Milwaukee Master Carpenters' association, and Chas. Guetzkow, vice-president of the same organization, Henry Johns, H. C. Keeling, George Witte, and Henry Flach, Jr.

An invitation was extended to the Janesville order to come to Milwaukee on a return visit and arrangements will be made to accept some time during the spring or summer.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our husband and father. Also the parties who kindly opened up the road and made it possible the day of the burial.

MRS. E. W. BOETTCHER,
JOHN E. BOETTCHER,
MRS. W. GLASS.

ORFORDVILLE CREAMERY BUTTER 31c LB.

SWIFT'S JERSEY BUTTER 18c LB.

BIRD BRAND COFFEE 30c LB.

3 PKGS. NONESUCH MINCE MEAT 25c.

3 CANS CAMPBELL'S SOUPS 25c.

2 CANS HEINZ BAKED BEANS 25c.

DINNER BELL SALMON 18c CAN.

E. R. WINSLOW

Arrival of Daughter: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Contello of 624 Locust street announce the arrival of a daughter, born on Tuesday.

Given Lecture Tonight: Dr. Sears a lecturer of national reputation will speak at the Presbyterian church this evening under the auspices of the young men's society of the denomination.

Marriage License: Lolf M. Cleophas and Agnes A. Skinner, both of Beloit were granted a license to wed at the office of the county clerk today.

Judge Here Friday: Judge Grimm will be at the court house Friday afternoon to hear matters to come before the circuit court and to arrange the calendar for Monday, when the jury will be called at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Wedded by Justice: William A. Grossklous and Rose M. Ellis, both of the town of Plymouth, secured a marriage license and special permit at the court house this afternoon and were united in marriage by Justice of the Peace Stanley Tallman.

Old Paper Recorded: A government land grant paper dated June 1st, 1850, was filed in the office of the register of deeds today. The paper authorized the granting of 160 acres of land to Michael Cox and was signed by agents of Zachary Taylor, president of the United States.

PLEASANTLY SURPRISED ON HER 14th BIRTHDAY

Friends Celebrate With Miss Anna Kuehne at Her Home Last Evening on Birthday.

Miss Anna Kuehne was pleasantly surprised at her home on Terrace street, by thirteen of her schoolmates in honor of her fourteenth birthday. Table was laid for fourteen at eight o'clock.

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Good Cooking Butter 20c lb.

Elkhorn Cheese, 10c, 15c jar.

Midget Pork Sausage, 15c lb.

Fine Frankfurts 12 1/2c lb.

Sunkist Oranges, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c dozen.

Sunkist Silverware.

Seal Coast Oysters, 45c qt.

Fancy Picnic Hams 12c lb.

Fine Home Made Sour Pickles 20c gal.

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Both Phones.

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Fresh Beef Liver 10c pound.
Fresh Pork Liver 8c pound.

PROMPT DELIVERIES.

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The Market on the Square.
Both Phones.

Mutton

Stew

lb. 6c

Neck and Shoulder, lb. 8c, 10c

Fancy Layer Figs, lb. 10c

Dates, lb. 10c

Fancy Head Rice, lb. 10c

3 for 25c

Japan Rice, lb. 10c

Bulk Glass Starch, 6 lbs. 25c

Fancy Table Tomatoes, can 12c

3 cans Corn 25c

Pure Strained Honey, pt. 25c

jar 25c

Luncheon Preserves, qt. jar 25c

2 cans No. 1 Snider's Baked Beans 15c

Fancy Marshmallow Candy, lb. 20c

Fancy Prunes, lb. 10c

Evaporated Peaches, lb. 15c

3 pkgs. Red Cross Macaroni 25c

Minaret Wafers, pkg. 10c

Fancy Peas, can 15c

Smoked Whitefish, lb. 12 1/2c

Salt Mackerel, each 10c

B. & M. Fish Flakes 10c and 15c

Fancy Canned Salmon, 15c, 18c and 20c.

3 cans Mustard Sardines. 25c

GOOD GOODS AND GOOD SERVICE.

ROESLING BROS.

GROCERIES AND MEATS

SIX PHONES—ALL 128.

Condensed Statement of

The Rock County National Bank

made in response to the call of the Comptroller of the Currency, February 20, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$400,455.65

Overdrafts 376.88

Bonds 90,676.88

CASH RESOURCES.

United States Bonds \$36,000.00

Due from United States 2,750.00

TODAY'S EVANSVILLE NEWS

MONEY TO RESTORE LAKE BEING RAISED

Evansville Pupils Raising Funds to go
Toward Restoration of Lake

Leeds—Other News.

(Special to this Gazette.)

Evansville, Feb. 23.—The eighth grade pupils have raised twenty-five dollars toward a fund for restoring Lake Leeds. All the grades are working for the same result.

M. L. Johnson went to Muncie, Ind., Monday to attend the funeral of his nephew, Ray Johnson, who was killed by a trolley train. The funeral was held Tuesday.

Miss Anne Koutz spent Sunday with her sister in Brooklyn.

Chas. Johnson, who resides on Al. Street, was taken quite sick last night and is confined to his bed today.

Mr. Lefebvre and family will move into the Willis Griffith farm this week.

Mrs. Wm. Lee was a Janesville visitor the last of the week, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Byron Habbitt has gone to Milwaukee to care for Mrs. H. H. Blood, who has been confined to her bed since January 12. Mrs. Blood's many friends in Evansville, will be sorry to learn that she is not improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Rockwood, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, returned to their home in Elkhorn, Tuesday.

Richard Thurman visited his parents in Evansville Sunday and drove home to Albany through Monday's storm.

Some of the High School pupils who live four or five miles east of town, and who were unable to reach school Monday, started out again Tuesday morning, but were obliged to abandon their trip for so much of the distance that it took them four hours to get to Evansville. They suffered very much from the cold.

Mrs. Helen Smith died Saturday at her home in Watonsville, Washington. Mrs. Mackle leaves a husband and children. Clifford Smith of Evansville, is a brother-in-law with numerous other Evansville relatives mourn her loss.

Joe Kaffen Klotsch gave an entertainment at the home of Mrs. Will Klotsch, Tuesday evening at seven o'clock, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Klotsch's twenty-second wedding anniversary. Supper was served and a general good time was enjoyed.

Joe Lay will move into the Jas. Hubbard house next Thursday.

The physician at the hospital where Miss Moo has been under treatment writes that she will be able to return home very soon.

Miss Eator Nordrum spent Sunday with Miss Vinnie Haynes.

Fred Morrison will move onto Lewis Spencer's farm next Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Folger visited at Raynolds farm Sunday.

On account of the storm Monday and the bad roads thereafter, Miss Eator Nordrum was unable to open her school until Wednesday morning.

The teachers and pupils of District No. 6 of Jackson township, Green County, issued unique hatchet invitations to their parents and friends to attend their Washington program, to be given at the school house, Feb. 22. The response filled the house to overflowing, and the audience went home feeling that they had enjoyed a treat.

Hart Hunkorford, the oldest mail carrier from Evansville post office reports a very tedious trip on Tuesday and while there is not a great quantity of snow in the fields, in all his eleven years' experience as mail carrier he never saw so much in the roads.

The annual meeting of the Evansville Humane Society, met in Library hall, Tuesday evening. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served.

Miss Wilma Phillips who teaches in school district No. 5, braved the storm Monday, but finding only two pupils at the school house and those from a nearby home, she returned to Evansville.

The funeral of the late Valentine Dragback occurred Tuesday.

Afternoon Club.

The next meeting of the Afternoon Club will be March 2. The program will be:

Recitation.

History (Canadian) Chap. VIII, leader, Harriet Pearson.

The merits of the fireless cooker, Blanche Devine.

Reading selections from Evangeline, Lucile Toller.

Locals.

Will Brown has been entertaining his nephew, Walter Graves, from Seattle, Washington.

Mrs. Chester Newman returned to her home in Joda today, after a visit with relatives here.

Chas. Johnson is unable to attend to his duties in the Baker Manufacturing Company shop, on account of illness.

Miss Winifred Van Vleet has returned to Edgerton to resume her school duties, after a short visit with relatives here.

Miss Neva Davis has returned from a visit with her parents near Janesville.

Miss Cora Deeth is quite ill with influenza.

Walter Gollmar left for Baraboo on Monday, to attend to his business interests at that place.

Miss Daisy Spencer has returned from a visit with Miss Alice Spencer in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Johnson and children, are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. M. Alice of Beloit.

Homer Potter has returned from Sun Prairie.

The members of the Young Ladies' Missionary Society, of the Congregational church, held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. C. J. Pearson at Tuesday afternoon. It was decided to hold an Easter Bazaar, March 28th in the church parlors.

H. H. Billings of Madison, a former Evansville citizen, was visiting old friends Monday.

Erwin Meyers of Madison, was a recent Evansville visitor.

The regular weekly prayer-meeting

GOOD PRICES PAID FOR FARMS NEAR JOHNSTOWN

George Austin, Ohas Bought Farm in
Johnstown at \$138 per Acre—
[Special to this Gazette.]

Johnstown, Feb. 23.—George Austin has purchased the John McCann farm, of Johnstown for one hundred and thirty-eight dollars an acre.

John McCann has purchased the old Proctor farm of one hundred and sixty acres near Emerald Grove for one hundred and thirty-two dollars an acre and will move there about March 15th.

Other News.

The Johnstown basketball team played the Whitewater boys Saturday evening and were badly defeated.

The postman from Milton was the only one that made the trip Monday.

H. V. Taylor made his weekly trip to Milton Monday with a load of butter.

Leslie Daekhorn, postman on Route No. 3, did not make his trip Monday.

This is the first trip he has missed since he has been on the route.

Arch. Gostler met with trouble Sunday on the road to Avalon. His horses fell down and broke the whiffletree of his carriage.

Mrs. William Crow returned Friday evening from her visit at Palmira.

William Haight of Janesville spent Sunday with his brother James.

Miss Emma Kennedy will close her school Friday, March 1st, in the Milton district and return to her home in Whitewater and attend the normal.

Mrs. Gus Schmalz is ill with an attack of neuritis.

Frank Clark is sick with the grip.

Dr. Rice of Delavan was called Friday to prescribe for Mrs. Charles Hartill who is sick.

Thy Baptist L. A. Society will hold one of their good dinners at the home of Mrs. Watson Adrich, Thursday, Feb. 23. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Austin were Sunday guests of C. Craig.

Miss Cecelia Bradford of Whitewater has been engaged to teach the spring term in district No. 4, and will board with Mrs. Frank Godfrey.

MRS. GOODRICH HOSTESS
TO MILTON JUNCTION CLUB

Twentieth Century Club Held Pleasant Meeting Monday Evening

Other News.

Milton Junction, Feb. 23.—The Twentieth Century Club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. F. H. Goodrich. Some set was played. A general good time was had by all present. Light refreshments were served.

A. M. Thorpe was an Evansville Monday.

Miss Campbell has been visiting at Clinton Junction, Wis.

Miss Grace Clark is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Craig.

Frank Morris, Jr., had the misfortune to fall Saturday and hurt his side. He is under the doctor's care.

L. M. Waffle spent yesterday in Janesville.

Frank Howie entertained his father, William Howie, of Lima, Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Sykes is at home for a few days.

William Armbrige is assisting Mr. Tucker in the cafe.

BRODHEAD.

Brodhead, Feb. 23.—The last number of the lecture course occurs on Friday evening, March 1st, and is by the University of Wisconsin male quartette with a violinist and reader.

Measles, Albert Fuller and Dr. A. N. Lawton have made arrangements to erect new homes. Emory & Nour have the contract to build the former and P. H. Burns the latter. Both will be modern, up to date residences.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bucklin came up from Pequotin Tuesday, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al Baxter.

Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Farmer and little son went to Beloit Tuesday to visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Wm. Shoyne and daughter, of Beloit, returned to their home Tuesday after some few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Robinson.

Mrs. Eva Ward spent Tuesday in Orfordville with relatives.

Carl Engelhardt was a business visitor in Janesville Tuesday.

Bert McNair was a passenger to Beloit Tuesday.

Mrs. F. W. Thompson went to Madison Tuesday, for a few days stay with Mrs. Geo. M. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ramsey who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mooney left for their home in Ellsworth, Kansas, on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. I. Torbosa left Tuesday for her home in Tebbon, Illinois, after spending a few days with her mother and sister, Mrs. D. Gould and Mrs. W. B. Pauley.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klitzman are moving onto the J. E. Moore farm in Spring Valley.

Gurney Condon and family are moving to Avon and will occupy the Burkhalter farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Adelman have moved into the H. Lawton residence.

INVESTIGATE SCHEDULE
OF LA CROSSE RAILWAY

Members of State Industrial Commission Will Make Necessary Inquiry

(By Associated Press.)

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 23.—John Humphrey of the State Industrial Commission arrived in the city last night on an investigation of the schedule of the La Crosse railway system. He declared that he will make a fair investigation and will take no part in the controversy.

Blamed A Good Worker.

"I blamed my heart for so many ills," writes W. Evans, Danville Va., "but I know now it was indigestion, as Dr. King's New Life Pills completely cured me." Best for stomach, liver, and kidney troubles, constipation, headache or debility. 25c at People's Drug Co.

BROOKLYN

Brooklyn, Feb. 23.—C. A. Wackman has purchased "The Teller" from M. V. Adamson. Mr. Adamson has leased "The Belleville Recorder" from his brother, Earl H. Adamson. Mr. Wackman has been here several weeks and has had charge of the editorial part of the paper.

The government inspector of weights and measures was in town Friday and inspected the business houses in town. He found everything satisfactory.

Miss Nora Hannah of Oregon was a guest last week of her friend, Miss Margo Klynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Richards and daughter, Miss Lottie, left Sunday for Sloan, Iowa, where they were called by the death of Mr. Richards' niece, Elmore Burman of the University of Wisconsin spent Sunday at the home of his parents.

Paul Brown of Madison visited friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Hurt spent Sunday as the guest of her friend, Miss Ruth Hersey, in Evansville.

The Misses Loraine and Irene Norton spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murphy in Evansville.

A. Lindhanson has sold his farm west of town to George Smith.

Miss Grace Hatch spent Sunday in Evansville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baldwin and children of Belleville were guests

Friday at the Julia Baldwin home.

Miss Edith Hadley, who teaches in the McLaughlin district, entertained her pupils at her home southwest of town Saturday evening. About twenty-one were present.

Mrs. John Hansen has been in Evansville helping to care for the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Norton, who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. F. H. Anderson and Miss Mabel Alesh spent a dinner party Thursday to a company of twelve at the home of the latter.

Virgil Hopkins and Mrs. Robert Smith attended the funeral of Mrs. Walter Hopkins, Saturday, near Delavan.

SOUTH MAGNOLIA

South, Magnolia, Feb. 23.—Jatava Houghton does not improve very rapidly.

Margaret McCaslin is assisting Mrs. Horn with her household duties.

Mrs. Horn's friends hope she will soon be in her usual health.

Matt Drow purchased a two-year-old colt last week.

Tom Heron and family will move onto their farm this week and Frank Williams will move onto his farm, which he purchased of Mrs. Tenn. Snyder.

T. M. Harper will move the latter part of the week; also George McCaslin.

The thaw has put the roads into bad shape, making traveling and

wheeling bad.

Frank Williams purchased a team at the McCaslin sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Runnas and daughter, of Channah, George Brigham of Evansville, Mrs. Fred Woodstock and children and Howard Edwards, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Harper Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Fraser and family entertained the following for dinner Wednesday: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fraser and daughter; Miss Blanche Townsend and Messrs. Lowell, Delbert, Harry Townsend and Walter Thompson.

Sunday night and Monday one of the worst blizzards known here for years prevailed. Farmers found it necessary to carry the winter to the stock. By Monday noon the storm had decreased considerably in force.

To Debate Anti-Trust Law.

Schenectady, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Considerable interest is manifested in student circles in the annual contests to be held tomorrow evening by the Princeton Debate League, comprising Hamilton College, Colgate University and Union University. Each college will be represented by two teams, one to debate at home and the other abroad. The home team in such case will uphold the negative and the visiting team the affirmative of the question, "Resolved, That the Sherman Anti-Trust Law Should Be Repealed."

COL. THADDEUS W. JONES PLACED ON RETIRED LIST

Has Seen Forty Years of Service in Cavalry—Assisted in Suppressing Philippine Insurrection.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 23.—After more than forty years' service, Col. Thaddeus W. Jones, until recently in command of the 10th Cavalry stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, was placed on the retired list today on his own application. Colonel Jones is from North Carolina and was graduated from West Point in 1872. During the Philippine insurrection he was lieutenant colonel of the 48th U. S. Volunteer Infantry. With this exception his entire service of forty years was in the cavalry army.

MAY BREED ARMY HORSES
ON INDIAN RESERVATIONS

Feasibility of Plan Considered At Conference At Department of Agriculture Today.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 23.—The feasibility of breeding horses for the army on Indian reservations was considered at a conference held at the Department of Agriculture today. Among those participating in the conference were the commissioner of Indian Affairs, the chief of the bureau of Animal Industry and the quarter-master general and a number of other officers of the army.

MILTON COLLEGE TO MEET PLATTEVILLE ON THURSDAY

Will Close Basketball Season With Game Tomorrow Evening—High School Champion.

(Special to this Gazette.)

Milton, Feb. 23.—Milton College will close the basketball season here with a game with Platteville Normal Thursday night at the local gymnasium. Platteville has an enviable record during the past season and there will undoubtedly be one of the best games of the year.

The Milton high school seniors defeated the Sophomores in the school championship game at the college gymnasium last evening by a score of 12 to 6. The sixth and seventh grade teams played a preliminary game.

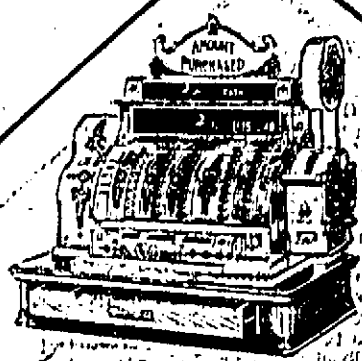
EIGHTY-EIGHT DIPLOMAS
TO CHEESE EXHIBITORS

(Special to this Gazette.)

Madison, Wis., Feb. 23.—Eighty-eight diplomas, awarded at the Milwaukee meeting of the Wisconsin Cheese Makers' association for excellence of cheese exhibited, are being mailed today to the winners by the secretary U. S. Baer, of the state dairy and food department.

Labor in Champagne Production.

In the course of champagne making the grapes are squeezed six times.



Pays For Itself and Benefits Everybody



Merchants
National Cash Registers benefit merchants by preventing mistakes, carelessness, and misunderstandings. Mistakes, losses reduce profits and interfere with the growth of a business. Nationals cause clerks to increase their sales and benefit the merchants by increased profits.

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National Cash Registers benefit clerks by enabling them to get credit for their efforts. They enable clerks to prove their integrity, and protect them from unpleasant disputes and unjust suspicion. This helps the clerk to maintain that reputation which is so essential to his success.

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National Cash Registers benefit cashiers because they remove temptation, relieve them of a mass of detail and prevent unjust suspicion. They are protected from mistakes—their own and other people's. Nationals enable cashiers to check the cash quickly and go home on time.

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National Cash Registers benefit customers because there is a guarantee of accuracy in dealing with merchants who use Nationals. Customers like to deal in stores where discipline, system and order prevail. The National Cash Register stands for these desirable things in any store.

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benefit because they are taught accuracy and promptness in buying where a National Cash Register is used. They are guaranteed exactly the same kind of treatment in a store where a National is used as the head of the family would get. This is important, but not nearly so much so as the lessons of exactness and honesty which the National teaches.

We created the cash register industry.

We created the demand and after years of effort proved cash registers a business-necessity.

There is 30 years of study and experience back of our product.

We developed the cash register business by studying the needs of merchants and building cash registers for all lines of business where money is handled and records kept.

Our facilities have always enabled us to guarantee to sell a better cash register for less money than any other concern in the world.

Write, or Call at Our Nearest Office for Complete Information.

The National Cash Register Co., Dayton, Ohio. A. M. LOCKARD, Sales Agent, 205 King St., Madison, Wis.

GOVERNMENT EXPERT FINDS STEEL TRUST RESTRAINED TRADE

(Continued from page one)

"It can be no justification of the operation of the participants in the Garry dinners that no penalty attaches to a violation of the declaration mutually exchanged, because perforce the Anti-trust act would prevent the enforcement of any penalty for reducing prices or exceeding one's share of the business. Previous pool agreements may have been broken and penalties inflicted by the members themselves, though this was soon discontinued. It will be assumed, even if a fund had not been deposited, that the men in the old pool would have paid their fines, if this be assumed, it can also be assumed that the words of the participants in the Garry dinners is ample security for the professions of cooperation in the policy almost unanimously subscribed to at the dinners.

"On the other hand, any contract may be broken; any conspiracy may be upset by recalcitrants. It is surely no excuse for the illegality of any arrangement in restraint of trade that it can be departed from by the participants."

Financial Section.

Stress is laid in the financial section of the report upon the demonstration by figures that the steel corporation restrains competition by making the greater portion of its producing raw materials and in planing finished product plants make very low profits. This operates, it is declared, to keep the price of raw materials, ore, coke, and pig iron on a high plane to the advantage of the corporation and disadvantage of the independent.

"During the 9 years from Jan. 1, 1902 to Dec. 31, 1910," the report says, "the productions of the Corporation in rolled and other finished steel amounted to 79,267,383 tons and the adjusted net earnings for the same period, amounted to \$1,029,085,389 or an equivalent of approximately \$13 per ton. In order that an idea may be had of the net earnings in dollars per ton of the several operating groups of the corporation, I have calculated these figures and find the approximate net earnings of \$13 per ton of finished product to have been earned as follows:

"By Manufacturing Companies \$8.41 per ton. By Coal & Coke Companies \$0.70 per ton. By Iron Mining Companies \$2.12 per ton. By Transportation Companies \$1.81 per ton. By Miscellaneous Companies \$3.00 per ton. Total, \$13.04."

Dividend Statement.

This, the report says, is equivalent to an earning of 40 per cent on cost. In accounting for the discrepancy between the earnings claimed by the steel corporation, \$90,000,311 and his estimate of \$1,000,146,993, Mr. McCrea stated to net earnings what had been eliminated by the steel corporation in its accounting, including such things as "interest on bonds of subsidiary companies, the locked-up intercompany profits in inventories, special depreciation admittedly charged to construction, employee bonus funds and special compensations, account preferred stock subscriptions, which have been treated as dividends from earnings and not in the nature of additional wages to employees, and lastly interest on bonds, mortgages and purchase money obligations of subsidiary companies."

As showing the result of the policy of the steel corporation to make the bulk of the profits in the raw and semi-finished material, Mr. McCrea submitted a condensed statement of the dividends paid by the subsidiary companies to the steel corporation and the interest paid by the Carnegie company on its collateral trust bonds, from April 1, 1901 to April 1, 1910, showing a total of \$753,124,386.53.

"The income from the Carnegie Company in dividends and bond interest," he says, "amounted to \$305,239,337.49 or about 40 per cent of the total. The American Bridge company paid the holding company dividends on its preferred stock this period to the amount of \$19,715,577.59, or two and six-tenths per cent of the total."

The table of dividends for the nine year period follows:

Company	Dividends
The Carnegie Company	\$305,239,337.49
Federal Steel Company	114,816,182.00
National Tube Company	31,157,128.50
National Tube Company, common	29,783,905.50
National Tube Company, preferred	27,299,158.25
American Steel & Wire Co. of N. J. com.	51,110,460.25
American Steel & Wire Co. of N. J. pref'd	27,299,158.25
National Steel Company, common	6,400,000.00
National Steel Company, preferred	3,770,153.00
American Tin Plate Company, common	7,410,000.00
American Tin Plate Company, preferred	3,031,372.00
American Sheet Steel Company, common	3,184,948.00
American Sheet Steel Company, preferred	6,573,568.00
American Sheet & Tin Plate Co., common	25,540,823.00
American Sheet & Tin Plate Co., preferred	12,004,501.00
American Steel Hoop Co., common	1,350,000.00
American Steel Hoop Co., preferred	2,011,057.51
American Bridge Co., preferred	18,715,577.59
Oliver Iron Mining Co.	2,400,000.00
Lake Superior Cons. Iron Mining Co.	66,080,963.03
Shelby Steel Tube Co., preferred	2,221,905.00
Pittsburgh Steamship Co.	213,870.00
Clifton Steel Co.	4,235,000.00
Total	\$675,161,849.04

Interest on the Carnegie Co. Coll. Trust Bonds \$7,959,537.49

\$753,124,386.53

Referring to restraint of trade there are fourteen conclusions in the report, one of which deals with percentages of business done by the corporation, and in which the ore and other holdings are discussed.

Percentages Misleading.

"Percentages of the business done

by the United States Steel Corporation," the report says "are deceiving and misleading unless segregated with reference to particular products. For example, Mr. Roosevelt refers to an estimate that the United States Steel Corporation did not have above 40 per cent of steel properties or 'steel holdings,' and when he was asked if Gary and Frick (at the time of the purchase of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Co.) said anything about the ore properties that they were buying at that time, he answered 'They did not go into details at all,' and he also stated that he understood they were going to buy the Tennessee Company's plant."

If the estimate of 60 per cent refers to property and investment in steel business, it may be noted, in that year (1907), that the total property of the Bethlehem, Cambria, Colorado, Lackawanna, Pennsylvania, and Tennessee Companies added to the capital stock of Jones & Laughlin (because statement of property is not available) amounted to \$366,768,889, these companies being the only important concerns in the steel business in the United States, outside of the United States Steel Corporation. This amount added to that of the United States Steel Corporation equals a grand total of \$8,811,600,339; of which the property account of the United States Steel Corporation amounts to \$8,445,827.45, or about 80 per cent."

Conclusions in the report bearing on restraint of trade, embodied in fourteen sections, some containing voluminous quotations from the minutes of meetings of the corporation and of the subsidiary companies. Summarized the report concludes:

"Competition between previously competing concerns was terminated by the concentration of the control of upwards of 180 corporations into one security-holding company known as the United States Steel Corporation. The United States Steel Corporation is merely a holding company engaging in no business except the control through stock ownership of the subsidiary companies."

There were acquired and brought under single control, upwards of 180 concerns in lines of business allied with the steel making business, including ore owning and mining companies "which are now restrained from competing the scale of ore" transportation companies, through consolidation of which every possibility of competition between these roads is prevented" pig iron plants, coal and coke companies, and many others.

Units Are Combined.

"There were acquired a large number of 'junior' concerns at much inflated valuations, succeeding several incorporations in the capitalization of preceding incorporations, due, in some cases, to the greater combination value or merger of the consolidation, in which of course the units combined were restrained of any competitive activity. Specific instances are given under this head relating to three processes of combination as follows:

"The original combination of major concerns to eliminate all possibility of competition. Combinations admittedly or inferentially having a direct effect to remove competition or in the accomplishment of which the removal of competition was the declared or inferred object of the consolidation."

"Other acquisitions in related lines of business for which no explanation has been offered and none appears except the visible consequence, the removal of such concerns from the independent field."

"The acquisition of a large number of plants which never were operated and some of them, dismantled, being removed from the competitive field."

The acquisition of other plants, such as the Clifton Steel Company, the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company and others, of which the report says: "Isolated consideration, the purpose in acquiring independent concerns may be entirely colorless, but when considered in connection with the acquisition of other independent plants admittedly or inferentially to terminate competition, the continued policy and practice of acquiring control of companies engaged in its own line of business, may be corroboratory of the conclusion that the intention was to prevent competition of the concerns acquired, if not, per se indicative of such intention."

In this connection after a lengthy analysis of the taking over of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company in 1907, the report says:

"It may not be possible to state the true intention in acquiring the Tennessee Company, in a way which would be admitted by the men in control of the Steel Corporation, inasmuch as it appears to many experienced men who are also disinterested, that the intention which impelled its acquisition was merely the desire to bring under the control of the Steel Corporation the great possibilities for competition possessed by the Tennessee Company. The consequence of the acquisition should be held to have been founded in local contemplation, even if the result as deduced conflict with the intention declared to be in the minds of those responsible."

The acquisition of forty-five plants, listed in the report including many small bridges, wire, nail, sheet steel and other concerns, "consolidated for the restriction of competition" and "when considered collectively with many similar instances of absorbing and combining separate small plants, led to the conclusion that the object in view was the restriction of competition."

The interlocking of directors of the steel corporation and the purchase of stocks and bonds of other companies and various outside transactions of enormous size, the report discusses at length in support of the claim of power of the corporation in restraining competition.

The policy of the corporation resulting in enhancing the prices of raw and finished material, in which the report says: "The steel corporation officers openly declared the policy of buying at the available supply in order to keep up the price." Many quotations from the minutes of meetings are given in support of this.

The control of ore by the steel corporation, 74 per cent of competitive ore in Minnesota, five hundred million tons in the south "in all 2,500,000,000 tons out of 4,462,940,000 tons of commercially available ore in the United States—is an ownership and a control which must interfere with competition."

The resolution that subsidiary concerns

of the steel corporation shall refuse to handle orders for export business and that such orders must be turned over to the United States Steel Products (export) Company, through which the subsidiary companies preclude themselves from competing for the export sales.

"The result," the report says, "of enforcement of these resolutions and arrangements is that materials for export must be bought from the United States Steel Products Company, and buyers in the United States who wish to buy goods for export are compelled to pay an additional profit to the United States Steel Products Company."

LIVE STOCK MARKET IS SLOW AND QUIET

Little Tendency Seen Today to Rise

Above Yesterday's Advances.

Hogs and Sheep Slow.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Feb. 28.—The live stock market was quiet this morning and there was little tendency to rise above the prices of yesterday. Hogs saw an advance of "6" cents in some cases but the demand was generally slow for the 22,000 in the pens.

The cattle market was quiet without much change from yesterday. The sheep market remained slow and steady with receipts at 25,000.

Prices are as follows:

Cattle.
Cattle receipts—13,000.
Market—Quiet.
Heaves—5.10@8.55.
Texas steers—1.75@5.00.
Western steers—1.10@7.15.
Stockers and feeders—1.15@4.50.
Cows and heifers—2.25@6.50.
Calves—5.75@8.25.

Hogs.
Hog receipts—22,000.
Market—Slow; 5c higher.
Light—6.15@6.50.
Heavy—6.20@6.50.
Mixed—6.25@6.50.
Pigs—6.00@6.20.
Bulk of sales—6.10@6.50.

Sheep.
Sheep receipts—25,000.
Market—Slow; nominally steady.
Native—3.00@4.50.
Western—2.50@4.50.
Yearlings—5.00@5.50.
Lambs, native—1.50@7.00.
Lambs, western—2.00@7.10.

Butter.
Butter—Steady.
Creamery—25¢@28.
Dairy—22¢@25.

Eggs.
Eggs—Weak.
Receipts—5581 cases.
Cases at mark cases included 22¢@21.
First—ordinary—21¢@25.
First, prime—25¢.

Cheese.
Cheese—Steady.
Dankers—17 1/2¢.
Twins—16 1/2¢.
Young Americas—17 1/2¢.
Long Horns—17 1/2¢.

Potatoes.
Potatoes—Steady.
Receipts—54 cars.
Michigan potatoes—30¢@110.
Minnesota potatoes—28¢@110.
Minnesota potatoes—28¢@110.

Poultry.
Poultry—Steady.
Turkeys—live 13; dressed 18.
Chickens—live 14; dressed 14¢@15.
Springs—live 15; dressed 14¢@15.

Veal.
Veal—Steady.
50 to 60 lb wts.—7¢@11.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.
Wheat.
May—Opening 100 1/4-1/2; high 102 1/4; low 100 1/4; closing 102 1/4-1/2.
July—Opening 95 1/2; high 97; low 95 1/2; closing 96 1/2-3/4.

Corn.
May—Opening 68 1/4-1/2; high 69 1/2; low 68; closing 69.
July—Opening 67 1/2-3/4; high 69; low 67 1/2; closing 68.

Oats.
May—Opening 52 1/4-1/2; high 53 1/2; low 52; closing 52 1/2.
July—Opening 47 1/2-1/4; high 48 1/2-1/4; low 47 1/2; closing 48 1/2-1/4.

Rye.
Rye—89 1/2¢@90.
Barley—80¢@125.

JANESVILLE WHOLESALE MARKETS.
Janesville, Wis., Feb. 28, 1912.

Feed.
Oat meal—\$2.10@2.25 per 100 lbs.
Straw—\$7.50@8.00.
Raided and Loose Hay—\$18@20.
Rye—60 lbs. 90¢.
Barley—50 lbs. 90¢@1.00.
Horn—\$1.40@1.45.
Middlings—\$1.45@1.55.
Oats—40¢@50¢.
Corn—\$1.50@1.7.

Poultry Markets.
Turkeys—15¢ lb.
Hens—10¢ lb.
Springers—10¢ lb.
Old Roosters—6¢ lb.
Ducks—11¢ lb.

Hogs.
Different grades—\$5.00@5.00.
Steers and Cows.
Veal—\$5.00@5.00.
Hoe—\$3.50@3.50.

Shocking Sounds
In the earth are sometimes heard before a terrible earthquake, that warn of the coming peril. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you that the kidneys need attention if you would escape those dangerous maladies, Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see back-ache fly and all your best feelings return. "My son received great benefit from their use for kidney and bladder trouble," writes Peter Bondy, South Rockwood, Mich. "It is certainly a great kidney medicine." Try it. 50 cents at People's Drug Co.

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In almost every instance is directly caused by uric acid in the blood. Meritol Rheumatism Powders are manufactured for the express purpose of neutralizing and eliminating the uric acid from the system. Easy to take and thoroughly effective. Reliable Drug Co., Exclusive Local Agents.

Sheep.
Mutton—\$4.00@5.00.
Lambs, light—\$1.00.
Butter and Eggs.
Creamery—25¢.
Dairy—22¢@25¢.
Eggs—Fresh, 25¢.
Potatoes 90¢.
Carrots—60¢ bu.
Parsnips—75¢ bu.
Beets—50¢ bu.
Rutabagas—50¢ bu.
Purple Top Turnips—50¢ bu.

FEW CHANGES SEEN ON LOCAL MARKETS

Butter Went Up One Cent Monday, Though Local Dairy Product Was Not Raised.

Creamery butter went up a cent last Monday and the Janesville product is selling at 33¢ a pound today. Dairy butter is still at the same price as last week, 28¢@30¢, and is plentiful for the trade in the city.

Through a mistake the other cabbage was quoted at 1¢ a head when it had gone up just before and was selling at 4¢ a pound which makes it considerably higher than it was before. This raise is owing to the scarcity of the vegetable in town and the difficulty of getting it into town. The prices today are as follows:

Vegetables.
Carrots—2¢ lb.
Fresh Carrots—5¢ bunch.
Parsnips—3¢ lb.
Potatoes—\$1.20 bu.
Green Peppers—5¢ each.
Squash—15¢.
Yellow Onions—5¢ lb.
Cauliflower—8¢@20¢.
Red Onions—6¢ lb.
Cabbage—4¢ lb.
Lettuce—5¢ bunch.
Head lettuce—12 1/2¢.
Celery—7¢ stalk.

Vegetable Oysters—5¢ bunch.
Spinach—8¢@15¢ lb.
Beets—1 1/2¢@2¢ lb., 20¢ pk. bunch.

Shallots—1 1/2¢ bunch.
Parsley—5¢ bunch.
Rutabagas—2 1/2¢ lb.
Radishes—8¢ bunch.
Yellow String Beans—20¢ lb.
Chives—5¢ bunch.
Onions—8¢ each.

Kohl Rabi—10¢.
Brussels Sprouts—22¢ box.
Cucumbers—25¢.

Fresh Fruit.
Apples—Jonathan, 50 lb.; Kings' 50 lb.; Greenings, 50 lb.; Russets, 50 lb.; Baldwin's, 50 lb.; Wino Sap, 50 lb.; Gilwell's, 50 lb.; Spies, 50 lb.

Apples—Box, \$1.75@2.75.
Cranberries—10¢@12¢.
Bananas—Dozen, 10¢@20¢.
Imported Malaga—20¢ lb.
Lemons—30¢ doz.

Grape Fruit—5¢ 7c, 4 for 25¢; 10c for 25¢; 15c, 2 for 25¢; 15¢ each.
Navel Oranges—15¢@15¢ doz.
Tangerines—20¢@20¢ doz.
Pineapples—15¢ each.
Florida Oranges—25¢, 30¢, 35¢, 40¢ and 45¢.
Florida Navel Oranges, 55¢ dozen.

Butter and Eggs.
Creamery—33¢.
Dairy—28¢@30¢.
Eggs—32¢ doz.
Butterine—18¢@21¢.

Flour, Nuts and Popcorn.
Flour, per sack—\$1.25@1.70.
Ruckwheat Flour—40¢ sack.
Rye Flour—30¢@70¢ per sack.
Popcorn—Shelled 7¢ lb.; 4 for 25¢.
Popcorn on Cob—5¢ lb., 6 lbs. 25¢.
Cornmeal—10 lb. sack, 25¢@30¢.
Whole Wheat Flour—10 lb. sack.

Unpopular Hygiene.
Having received a hygienic education, the new partner in the bakery strongly recommended a paper wrapper for every loaf of bread delivered. The old partner demurred. "No good," he said. "People won't stand for it. We tried that once and the paper got so dirty before the bread was ready for delivery that everybody canceled their orders."

FOR SALE
A modern six-room house, \$2800
A modern 10-room house \$5250.
Also one large lot with sidewalk, curb, gutter, sewer, water, gas and nice shade trees, in finest part of 2nd ward.
A 40-acre farm 3/4 mile from city limits; no buildings but good land for any kind of crops. Price \$500 per acre on easy terms.
Also an eight-room house in 4th ward with well, cistern, barn; house nearly new. Price \$2100.
Six-room cottage on Linn street with city and soft water, gas, good cellar. Price \$1600.
An 80-acre farm for rent on shares, fair buildings and land. See

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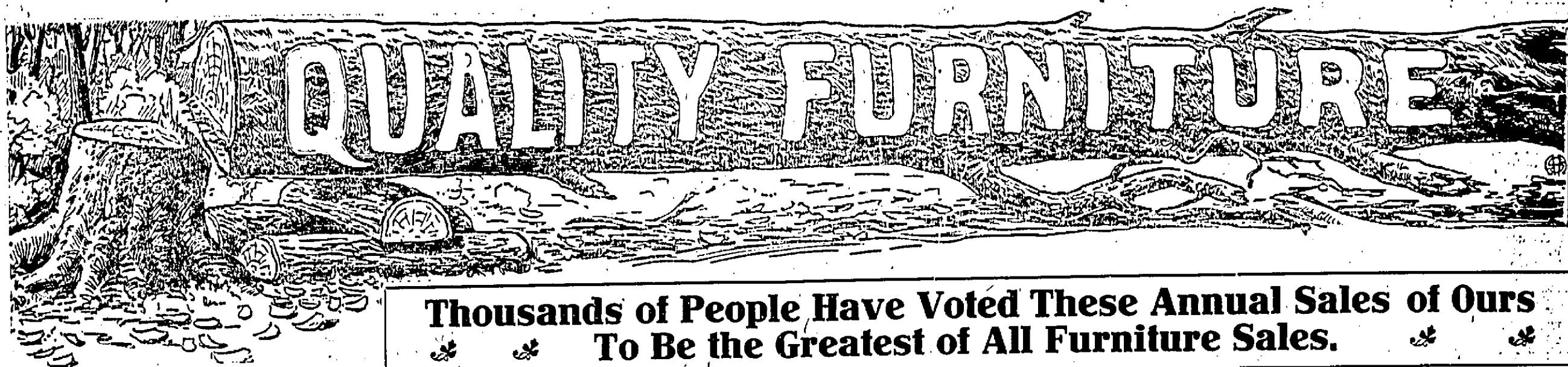
We will be only too pleased to give you an estimate for wiring and explain in detail all about how you can have the best light available.

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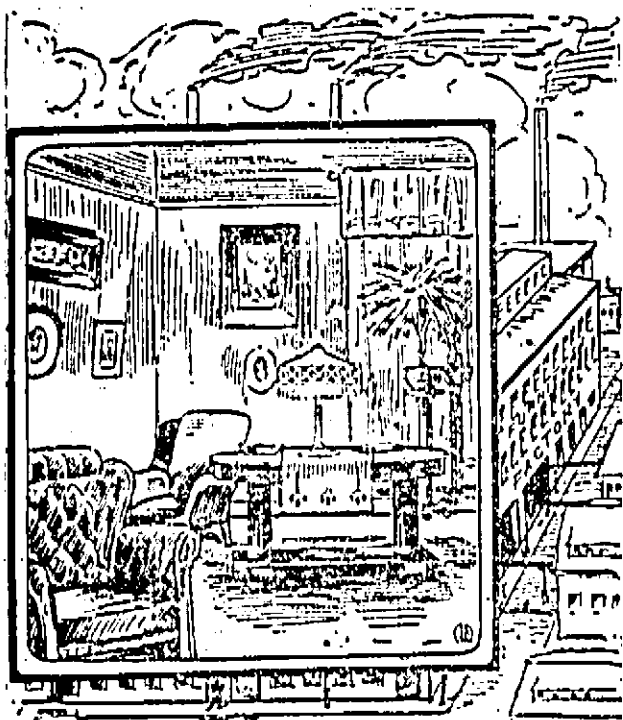
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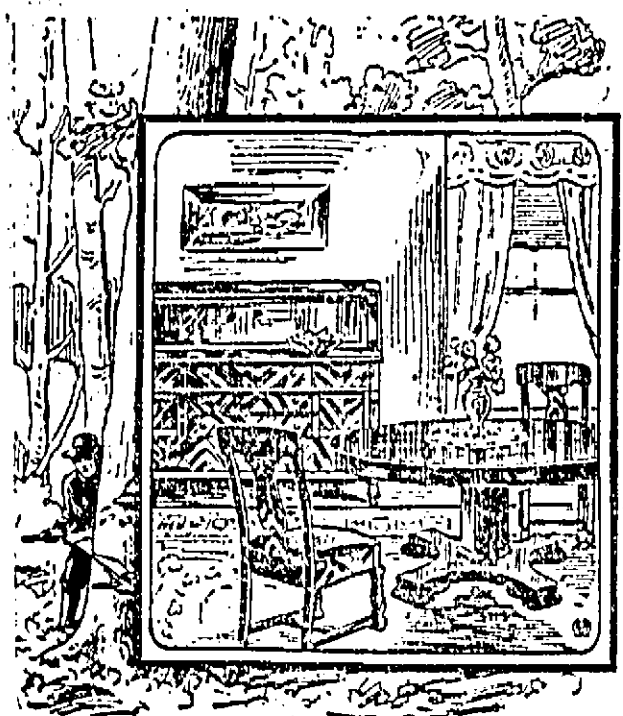
Hanson Tables are honest tables. Their worth is well defined. Designs are beautiful and up-to-date in every respect. They add to the attractiveness of any dining room. A complete assortment in this sale. When you see the handsome styles and attractive prices you will have no other. Sideboards, buffets and diners to match, all at sale prices. See prices in tomorrow night's Gazette.

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In sections. Are superior. Absolutely dust proof—tops are doubly so. Disappearing doors with patented door equalizer—smooth running, noiseless, non-binding and removable. Doors air-cushioned which prevents slamming and breaking of glass. Each section fits accurately—no unsightly metal bands spoil the artistic appearance. Start with one section and increase as you need to. The cost is small. See prices in tomorrow night's Gazette.

GO-CARTS AND BABY CARRIAGES

This sale includes our entire line of Go-Carts and Baby Carriages including the famous Sturges Cart, the Cart with the luxury back and springs, the most durable and handsome Cart made. See prices in tomorrow night's Gazette.



WE announce it some days ahead of the date so as to let everyone know about it in time to be there the first morning. This year the sale bids fair to be the best and biggest and most successful sale we've held. It is larger in quantity and variety than ever before. The furniture is the same high standard we sell the year around—furniture better than the ordinary sorts, not only on account of good workmanship, but because of the specially good styles. This is perhaps the greatest furniture event of the year. It is vast in magnitude, unrivalled in value-giving. No one with a furniture need will wisely miss the opportunities it presents.



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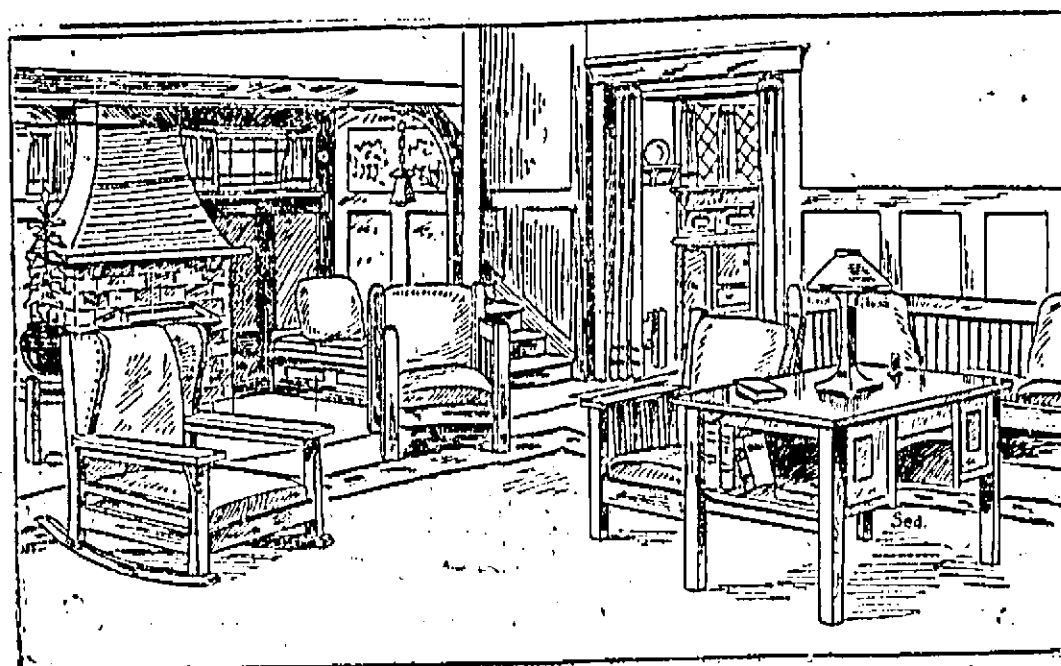
In Mahogany Frames, Upholstered in Leather or Plush, big values. A number of Parlor Divans and Chairs at prices that are really below actual cost. Rockers include all styles and prices. Included are some excellent styles in Mission Finish either Wood or Leather Seats. See prices in tomorrow night's Gazette.

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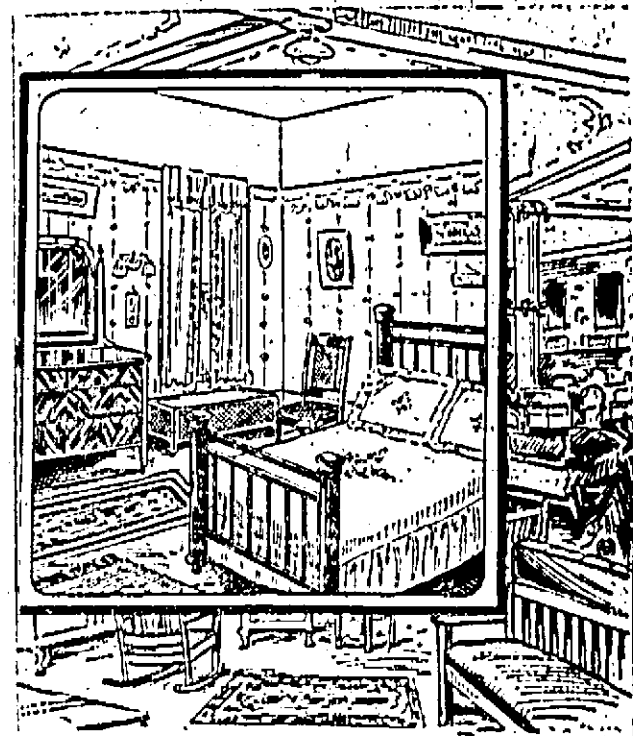


Mattress Bargains—Note Prices Specially Quoted

An exceptional showing of mattresses of all kinds and prices from \$2.00 upwards. Our lines include the best mattresses in this country. The famous Stearns-Foster and Ostermoor mattress can be obtained in Janesville only at this store. Besides these exceptionally high grade elastic felt mattresses we have a high grade felt mattress made by Stearns-Foster for us and known as the "ASHCRAFT SPECIAL." It is our regular bargain mattress at \$14.00 can be had here only. All next month we sell the "ASHCRAFT SPECIAL" at \$8.00. A regular \$9.00 felt mattress at \$6.50. There are no better values offered anywhere at any time.

Highest Class Upholstering—Special Prices

During this sale we will make to your order a Box-Spring Mattress, better known as "Box Bed," your choice of color or ticking at the unexampled price of \$10.00. They are always sold at \$18.00 and \$20.00 each. Our upholsterer knows how to put brains into the job. You'll be pleased with the work. We control the services of the best upholsterer in Janesville. He's an expert at making over and re-upholstering couches and parlor furniture. He'll gladly call at any time with a full line of samples and quote you prices—cheerfully.



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WOMAN'S PAGE

HEART AND HOME TALKS
BY BARBARA BOYD

Putting Threads Into Character

I HATE to pull out threads," said a young girl impatiently. "When my sister makes dresses, she always makes me pull out threads. And I just loathe it. It takes so long, and you never seem to be doing anything."

Looked at superficially, pulling out threads does seem insignificant. But looked at more deeply, such work looms large with import. It isn't the actual pulling out of the threads that counts. But it is the patience and thoroughness, we build into our character by pulling out threads, that is the real work we are doing.

We all pull out threads of one kind or another, because we all need to learn these lessons. But after we have learned them, we go on to bigger work. And if we refuse to learn them, we'll never be capable of doing the finer tasks.

The big things of life call for patience and strength and thoroughness, and we are weaving these into our character and making it able to do the work that waits for us, when we are pulling out threads. And if we do not make ourselves do it, the work will be passed on to others, and we will miss some of the rich gifts life intended for us.

So we should not grumble when the great schoolmaster sets us the task of pulling out threads, but rather rejoice at what this signifies. It means that there is big work waiting for us when we are ready for it. So we should jump cheerily into the task of learning our lesson, and master it as quickly as possible. When we can take up any piece of insignificant and unpleasant work and do it carefully, thoroughly, without grumbling, without really feeling any vexation or irritation at having to do it, we have learned the lesson that has been set us. And such work really must have no power over us at all. We must be indifferent to it, be able to rise above it. It must be unable to prick us in any way.

And when we have arrived at this state, rest assured, bigger work will be given us. We will pass on to something that is joy to our soul.

Barbara Boyd

The Kitchen Cabinet

GET into the habit of looking at the silver lining of the cloud, and when you have found it, look at it rather than at the leaden gray in the middle. It will help you over many hard places.

MORE CHEAP MEAT DISHES.

Buy spare ribs and place a good stuffing on one and cover with the other, surround with potatoes and onions, basting all frequently while roasting. Serve with vegetables as a garnish.

Spare ribs with apple and bread crumbs is another change from the ordinary. Place the ribs in a pan, cover with a layer of sliced apple and then a sprinkling of crumbs, and bake as usual.

Chili Con Carne.—Roll a pound of lean beef until tender, then remove from the broth in which it was boiled and chop in small pieces. Put back into the broth with half a pound of kidney beans which have been cooked until tender; add to these a quart of canned tomatoes, a bit of garlic and a red pepper. Cook for twenty minutes and season with salt, and serve. The pretty green French beans are an addition to this dish if they are obtainable.

Flank Steak.—Take one and a quarter pounds of flank steak, slash with a sharp knife on both sides and sprinkle with salt, pepper and flour, and a half teaspoonful of curry powder. Pound three seasonings well into the meat and then put into a hot frying pan with a tablespoonful of butter and lard. Add two cups of water, cover and simmer slowly for an hour, adding more water, if needed. The meat will be tender and juicy and the gravy rich and brown.

A delicious sauce to serve with steak is:

Cheese Sauce.—Slice two medium-sized onions, two green peppers, two ounces of lean ham and a clove of garlic. Fry five minutes, then add half a can of tomatoes, two bay leaves, four cloves and eight allspice. Let come to a boil and thicken slightly with cornstarch, cook until smooth, add a dash of red pepper or a fresh one finely chopped. Mushrooms may be added if wanted for an extra occasion.

Nellie Maxwell

UP-TO-DATE HOUSEKEEPING.

Making a Charlotte Russe Filling. Also Sponge Cake for Lining.

By Alice E. Whitaker.

It is so convenient in the city to send round to the confectioner's for fancy cakes, loaves, charlotte russe and cream cakes that the art to make them is nearly lost among urban housekeepers. Out of reach of these convenient food shops, one must either make or go without.

One who calls herself by that name the "a good plain cook" may not hesitate to make mince or lemon pie or to attempt the holiday plum pudding, but she will declare that a charlotte russe is too difficult or too fussy.

The cake portion, if made at home, presents the only difficulty and any woman who can cook at all is able to make a three egg sponge cake. Charlotte russe pans both large and small have straight sides; the little paper cases are inexpensive and where much the cooking is done it is handy to have half a dozen always on hand. There are also small charlotte russe pans made with a tube in the center which makes a hollow in the cake to fill.

There are several kinds of filling but none require great skill in making. Either small or large molds with cake sliced not over half an inch thick or with lady fingers split and then ends trimmed off square.

To economize with cake put a round or buttered paper in the bottom of each mold and scatter the cake trimmings which have been broken into very fine crumbs. Beat a cup of thick cream until thick with two round tablespoons of powdered sugar and one-half teaspoon of vanilla. Stir in lightly the white of one egg, beaten stiff.

The tops of the molds may be left uncovered or a few fine cake crumbs

The Evening Chit-Chat
BY RUTH CAMERON

I HAVE never passed a single week since attending the seminary without recalling Mary Lyon and her teachings.

Can you think of any finer tribute to the influence of a life than this, which was paid to Mary Lyon by a pupil fifty years after graduating?

Who is Mary Lyon, and why am I talking about her? Mary Lyon was the founder of Mt. Holyoke College, which was one of the two first colleges for women in the country, and I am telling you about her today because today is the anniversary of her birth.

There are many of these obscurely great folk in our history, who had almost as powerful an influence upon the conditions of our life today as some of the names that are household words, and whose lives are quite as inspiring to read about. To any woman who is interested in the woman movement, I recommend the biography of one of its greatest ancestors—Mary Lyon.

Mary Lyon was born February 28, 1797. She was the child of very poor parents, and had to earn most of her own education. She became a country schoolmistress, receiving as her first pay, seventy-five cents a week and board. In all her life the highest salary she ever received was \$200 a year, and out of that she gave much towards her beloved project.

At that time higher education for women was as bitterly opposed, as woman suffrage now is. That a woman should study algebra was considered an unnatural and unfeminine, as it is now that she should vote. Moreover, money for philanthropic objects was a great deal more difficult to get than it is in these days of multi-millionaires, who can found a college by signing a check. But Mary Lyon fought her way through every obstacle of prejudice and poverty, and in 1836 founded Mt. Holyoke and became its first president.

One of the most wonderful things about her life was that she had time for little kindnesses, for personal influence, and contact, as well as for her great work.

The tribute her pupil paid her fifty years afterwards, shows the depth of her personal influence. An example of the little kindnesses is this incident related by her biographer:

"With all the care of the seminary resting on her shoulders, she yet made time during her last season at Ipswich, to teach a woman who worked in the kitchen to read. The woman was about forty years old and had been adapted to let anyone know of her inability. Mary Lyon found it out and straightway began to teach her alone in her own room."

I wish I had space and time to tell you all about this wonderful woman's life. Since I have not, perhaps the best use I can make of my remaining space is to chronicle some of her sayings which have come down to us, and let you read her character in them:

"The right use of money is to accomplish what you wish with it."

"Privileges and obligations, like sisters, go hand in hand."

"It is the mark of a weak mind to be always continually comparing the two sexes and deploring, and making out the female sex as something great and superior."

"I have asked God to keep me alive just so long as I can do something for him, which no one else can do."

"You have not governed a child until you have made the child smile under your government."

"Never put anything in the fire that a bird will open its bill to get."

"There is nothing in my universe that I fear, but that I shall not know all my duty or shall fail to do it."

sprinkled over the top or a candied cherry laid on each. However candied cherries figure so largely in the confectioner's or baker's window that they are not so much prized in home cooking.

Another simple filling is made from one cup of cream beaten thick with five level tablespoons of powdered sugar. Add one level teaspoon of gelatin dissolved in two tablespoons of hot water and strained. Season with a few grains of salt and a tablespoon of vanilla.

For a plain filling that is sure to give satisfaction soak one level tablespoon of gelatin in one-quarter cup of cold water for half an hour; turn on one-quarter cup of boiling water, stir until well dissolved and pour on two cups of cream beat in light. Stir in one-third cup of powdered sugar and two teaspoons of vanilla. Turn at once into the cake lined molds and chill.

Any sponge cake may be taken for lining molds. The simplest is made with three eggs as follows: Beat three eggs light, add one cup of sugar and beat, add one-half cup of boiling water, beating all the time. Add a cup of flour, one and one-quarter cups of flour sifted twice with a level teaspoon of baking powder and last the whites of three eggs beaten stiff and a teaspoon of vanilla.

Another version is to beat the yolks of three eggs until they grow light colored, add one cup of sugar and beat, then one cup of flour sifted twice with a level teaspoon of baking powder, a few grains of salt and two tablespoons of hot water and last the whites of three eggs beaten stiff with a tablespoon of lemon juice.

Bake either cake in buttered and floured pan and in a moderate oven.

Philosophy of Health.

This philosophy of health may be summed up in three words: "Work, wash and pray." The greatest blessing that man enjoys—as is realized—is his ability and opportunity to work. Habits of personal cleanliness elevate and civilize man. The firm holding of a faith that urges man to pray builds character and forms habits that lead him to high places of thought and endeavor.

One Old Method Retained.

Prof. Griffith, at Leeds, England, speaking of dentistry in 500 B. C., said that the ancients attempted to replace lost teeth with pieces of wood tied in with string. Dentists have now got beyond that, but they still yank out the peccant tooth in the old Babylonian way.

Simple Twist of the Wrist.

"You know Jones, who was reputed so rich? Well, he died the other day, and the only thing he left was an old Dutch clock." "Well, there's one good thing about it; I won't be much trouble to wind up his estate."—Sacred Heart Review.

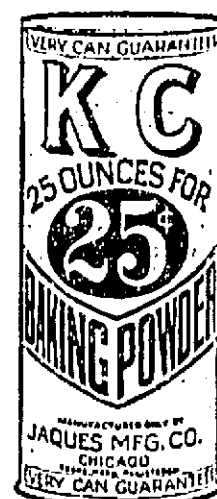
Meant for Satire.

"Man was arrested here the other day," says the Philosopher of Folly, "because he confessed that he had one wife too many. And it proved that he wasn't a bigamist, after all."—Cleveland Leader.

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DAILY DIET AND HEALTH HINTS
By DR. T. J. ALLEN
Food Specialist

SYSTEM RESTS IN FASTING.

We begin life with a certain stock of vitality determined, largely, by heredity; and when that is expended death follows. Stimulants, like alcohol, can only draw on this vitality and expend it, diverting it from the use of one organ to another (which may occasionally be beneficial), and there is always the reaction, "equal and opposite." Neither food nor drugs can produce vitality. Food furnishes one of the conditions necessary for the expenditure of energy; it is necessary for the discharge of the various energies which constitute life on the physical plane. Now when food is not taken for several days, the system feeds on its own tissues. This requires the expenditure of very little energy, for there is no digestion and therefore little waste to eliminate, the system taking exactly what it needs directly from the tissues and hence in fasting there is a wonderful elevation of all the forces, physical and mental, a great saving of vitality. Hence the great value of fasting as a cure, when wisely directed.

But, if the organism is extremely weak, at some vital point, or if for a long time the food has not furnished the necessary elements of nutrition, so that there is not a full stock on hand (or, to be literally correct, on body) normal nutrition cannot be long maintained without food. Death of persons who try the fasting cure without proper knowledge is reported from time to time in the newspapers.

Safety for Submarine Crew.

Crews of British submarines are taught how to use a safety helmet and waterproof jacket designed to save them, in case the submarine on which they are engaged is sunk. The men are taught in a special tank and are lowered into the water in a kind of diving bell. They learn to put on the helmet and jacket—which carry a store of air capable of being used over and over again and which can be put on in 30 seconds—and also how to leave the sunken vessel.

A GREAT RECORD.

Hard to Duplicate It in Janesville Scores of representative citizens of Janesville are testifying for Doan's Kidney Pills. Such a record of local endorsement is unequalled in modern times. This public statement made by a citizen is but one of the many that have preceded it and the hundreds that will follow. Read it:

Mrs. Emma Hill, 642 Franklin St., Janesville, Wis., says: "I suffered terribly from pains through the small of my back and limbs and I also had trouble from the kidney secretions. Someone finally advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I did so, procuring them at the People's Drug Co. The contents of two or three boxes corrected my trouble. I hope that the publication of my statement will induce other kidney sufferers to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

(Statement given in August, 1908.)

RE-ENDORSEMENT.

Mrs. Hill was interviewed on September 20, 1910 and she said: "You may continue to publish my former statement regarding Doan's Kidney Pills. Since I used them two years ago, I have had no further need of a kidney medicine."

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MISS MARTIENA HARRISON

"SCARLET FEVER BABY" OF THE WHITE HOUSE TO MARRY. Washington, D. C.—During the presidential term of Benjamin Harrison, "Baby" of the White House. See the little grand daughter, Miss Martiena Harrison attracted much attention and won many friends with her smiles and happy disposition. When she was at the White House, she was taken ill with scarlet fever and before Norfolk, Va.

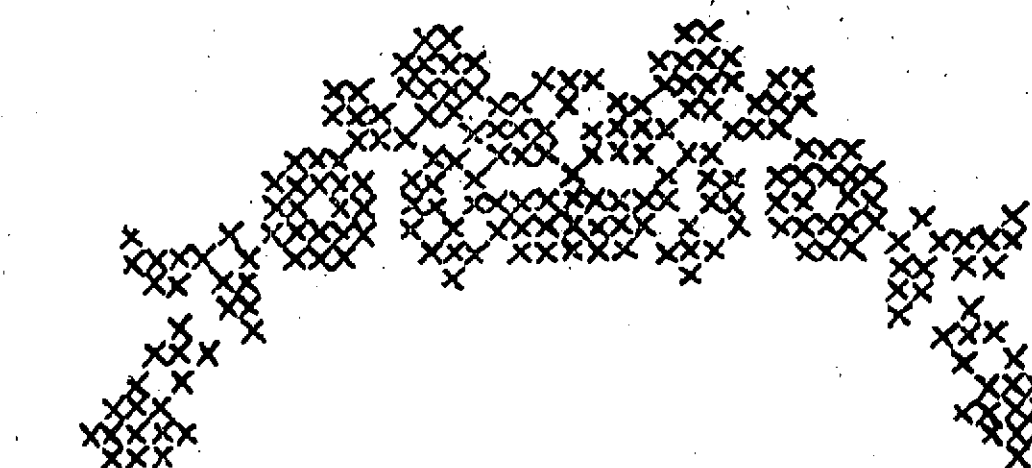
Scrap Books for Recipes

There has been a considerable call for scrap books in which to preserve the recipes and household hints, appearing daily on the Woman's page of The Gazette and a supply of them are daily and presenting them at the office prepared for those who wish to be supplied with the coupons where it is to be these various articles and the house-warded by mail.

SCRAP BOOK COUPON

On presentation of three of these coupons clipped on succeeding days from the Daily Gazette, at The Gazette office, a Recipe Coupon Book will be given free. If the book is to be mailed include 2c postage.

Feb. 28, 1912.



CROSS STITCH SCALLOP.

A scallop in cross stitch makes a charming finish for a towel or bureau scarf. It should be worked in colors, slant in one direction are done first, then crossed by those which slant in the opposite way, working from left to right. Repeat the design two or three times to run across the towel. Use mercerized cotton No. 14.

Always Tired, With Little Vitality

Modern Tonic, Tona Vita, Will Surely Build You Up Again.

Are you one of the run-down, half-sick, nervous people with which the country is filled? Do you feel tired all the time with very little vitality? Do you sleep badly and feel as worn out in the morning as when you went to bed? Is your circulation poor and do you catch cold easily? Have you stomach trouble and an irregular appetite? Are you nervous, moody and depressed?

These are sure symptoms of nervous debility. If you are struggling along in this miserable condition the best thing you can possibly do for yourself is to take "Tona Vita" the wonderful new tonic that has the unqualified endorsement of more physicians than any other medicine ever before offered to the public.

Here is what the Rev. Gustave Frederick, pastor of the Evangelistic church, Center Street, Milwaukee, Wis., has to say of it.

"Judging from my own experience I do not hesitate to say that 'Tona Vita' is an extremely valuable preparation. I have not only used it myself, but other members of the family have been taking it with highly satisfactory results."

"So far as my own case is concerned, I have, been in a run-down condition for a year or so, thing easily and being troubled, with sleeplessness. I lacked vitality and caught cold readily, and my digestion and appetite were poor. I was depressed in mind and body and very nervous."

"I now feel stronger, than for a long time. I have more energy and my work is done with much less effort. I sleep and eat better and feel as though rejuvenated."

"Tona Vita acts quickly. You will be surprised how rapidly it will build you up."

Smith Drug Co., "have the agency for Tona Vita in Janesville, and will return the purchase price, if not entirely satisfactory." The Approved Formula Co., Dayton, O.

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Caused by Formation of Nauseous Gases from Undigested Food—Instantly Stopped with a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet.

Trial Package Free
When you feel as if your stomach was being tightly choked—when the pain is intense and you break out in a cold and clammy perspiration and there is a lump in your throat and you are weak and nauseated—all you need is a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet to clear away the wreckage of undigested food left in the stomach and intestines and restore you to your normal self again.



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Thousands of people have learned how well Stuart's Tablets are for all stomach ills that they are never without a package at home and at the office, and upon any indication that the stomach is a little weary, they take a Stuart's Tablet after each meal for a few days until the digestive organs are rectified up again.

This is a splendid plan to follow and always results in much good. The appetite is improved, the food is digested more, your sleep is more refreshing, and your disposition will make you friends instead of enemies.

For Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Belching Gas, Constipation, Intestinal Indigestion and all Stomach Disorders and Pains—or for Loss of Appetite—nothing is better than Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets for sure and instant relief.

Use them freely—they are as harmless as sugar would be—and are by no means to be classed as "medicines." They have no effect whatever on the system except the benefit they bring you through the proper digestion of your food.

All drug stores sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. The price is 50 cents per box. If you wish to try them before purchasing, address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich., and a trial package will be sent you free.

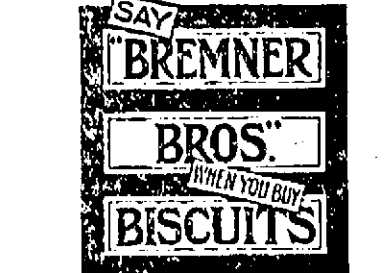


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PLAN A TEMPERANCE MEETING AT MILTON

Prohibition State Secretary Alfred B. Taynton and Wife to Conduct Program Thursday.

Prohibitionists and temperance workers at Milton are planning a novel and instructive program which will be held at the Methodist church Thursday afternoon, Feb. 29, in charge of Prohibition State Secretary Alfred B. Taynton and wife. The same program will also be presented at Evansville next Saturday afternoon, March 2, according to a statement from the prohibition state headquarters at Madison.

The program will consist of a mock session of Congress which is presumed to be in control of the enemies of the liquor traffic. Mr. Taynton will give an address on "The Present Crisis," in which he will review the progress of the temperance movement.

Woman's suffrage will also be included in the program and Mrs. Taynton will give a short talk on "Woman as a Voter," concluding with a question box and round table discussion. The program follows:

Afternoon Program.
Opening song by audience.
Prayer.
Introduction of Mr. Taynton.
Response.
Song or special number.
Organization of Prohibition Congress.

Address by "Speaker of the House." Introduction of Hills by Members. Adjournment of Congress. Musical number, or reading, or special paper.

Address by Mr. Taynton, "The Present Crisis." Collection. Music.

Address by Mrs. Taynton, "Woman as a Voter." Question box or round table discussion. Adjournment.

Evening Program.
Opening song by audience.
Prayer.
Introduction of Mr. Taynton.
Organization of Prohibition Congress.

Address by the "Speaker of the House." Introduction of Hills. Adjournment of Congress. Musical selection.

Address by Mr. Taynton, "The Present Crisis." Adjournment.

EAST CENTER

East Center, Feb. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Fisher and son of Janesville spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Clara Dixon.

Ernest Penick has moved onto the farm he purchased from Christopher Crail and Roy Silverthorn. He has moved onto the D. J. Lowry place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crail, S. L. Crail and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Tracy and son spent Sunday at the home of Ed Crail, the day being Mr. Crail's sixty-ninth birthday anniversary.

Herman Wilko is under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Clara Dixon accompanied her parents to Janesville, Sunday.

Edson Brown of West Center is moving onto his father's farm.

S. L. Crail and family attended the Elmer-Korsten wedding last Thursday. A number from here attended the auction at Ed Crail's last Friday.

The severe snow storm of Monday made the roads almost impassible in some places.

William Gottschalk and family will soon move to their new home in Footville. Their many friends regret to have them leave.

LA PRAIRIE

La Prairie, Feb. 28.—Will Cleland of Chicago is visiting here.

Ralph O'Brien is ill with the whooping cough, and Ralph Hammond with tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Walte and family and Mrs. C. Harshorne and children spent Thursday at the home of F. Walte of Clinton.

Mrs. Fred Hale has been quite sick the past week with a severe cold.

Our mail carrier was unable to get the mail through Monday, on account of the severe storm, which made the roads impassible in places.

WEST CENTER

West Center, Feb. 26.—Recent thaws and Saturday's rain have spoiled the sleighing which has been good since New Year's.

Mrs. Robert Willing and Mrs. Julius Guse called on Mrs. Watwood recently.

Some from here attended Ed. Horne's sale in South Porter, Friday.

George Dahl sawed wood in this neighborhood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. August Sornow and William Sornow and family attended a wedding near Leyden last Thursday.

Will Harnack and Roy Gooch got a cow from Ed. Horne's Saturday, which the former bought at the sale the previous day.

About twenty schoolmates of Benjie Puffer gave her a surprise last Friday evening.

UTTER'S CORNERS

Utter's Corners, Feb. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walbrant and family leave this week for their home at East Troy. Mrs. Walbrant has been superintendent of the Sunday school here the past year and it is with many regrets that the many friends have to see her leave. Sunday Rev. Con. in a very nice talk, expressed the regrets of the school and in their behalf presented her with a gold star as a token of remembrance and esteem.

Clyde Apple and Alfred Lurvey, proprietors of the Springfield Creamery, have been confined to their beds by sickness the past week. The former with pneumonia and the latter with jaundice. Mr. Lurvey's brother, with the help of C. B. Roe and Richard Venzlor, has managed to keep the creamery running.

Mrs. E. Ransom of Avalon was a visitor at the home of her brother, Wallace Taylor, a portion of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hoag entertained relatives from Jefferson and Whitewater Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Godfrey and children and Mrs. Will McCord of North Lima visited their sister, Mrs. John Shields and family Sunday.

The rural mail carriers failed to make the round Monday for the first time this winter, owing to blocked roads. Mr. Kildow on route 1, made an effort but had to turn back.

AFTON

Afton, Feb. 27.—Because of the bad weather and roads, yesterday, Mr. Hill the millman, was unable to make his daily rounds.

Wm. Bright of Ft. Atkinson was a caller on these streets Friday and Saturday.

Alfred and Zoo Chilson spent Sunday and Monday visiting Ed. Coats and family.

The literary society held its last meeting at the home of Selma Hammel last Wednesday night. It will probably be held at the home of Bertha Antkader March 6.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet tomorrow with Mrs. Geo. Oles. The meeting is from ten to four o'clock. All ladies are invited to attend.

The Misses Josie Seales and Selma Hammel are planning to take a vacation soon. The former will visit at Roscoe and the latter at Rockford.

Garry Coats is working in Ft. Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Damorow and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. August Engleke.

CAINVILLE CENTER

Cainville Center, Feb. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Townsend entertained at dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. David Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. David Andrew.

The Helpers Union will be held Wednesday, the 28th at the home of Mrs. Sophie Harvey. Dinner will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Miss Blanche Townsend spent Saturday night and Sunday in Beloit. The weekly prayer meeting will be held with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Andrew.

Paul Chase helped furnish the program Saturday evening for the farmers' institute at Evansville.

Pomeroy Beale received a message that his father was seriously ill at his home in Indiana. He left Sunday night for his father's home.

Friday night the young people had a party in the hall. The evening was spent in playing games; light refreshments were served and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.

Elizabeth Bennett returned from Beloit Sunday evening.

Monday morning ushered in the worst blizzard of the season. The teachers and Evansville students were unable to get to their schools. The roads are badly drifted which will have to be shoveled out in places.

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield, Feb. 28.—A. D. Clark received the sad news of the death of his sister, Mrs. M. S. Armstrong at her home at Albert Lea, Minn.

A. L. Thomson was a week end visitor at Janesville.

Miss Alice Cahill of Elkhorn visited her cousin, Mrs. Mary Baldwin a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wetmore entertained the Larkin club Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Anderson entertained the card club Saturday evening.

Miss Mary Williams of Janesville, was a guest of her parents over Sunday.

News of the approaching marriage of Miss Minnie Utter of Janesville, and Mr. Louis Zinke of Chicago, has been received here. Miss Cutler formerly lived here and she has the best wishes of her many Fairfield friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Grams moved Friday to the Richards house.

Muriel Randall has been very sick and under the doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and baby spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. Wiloy Nott, Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Canada, are visiting at P. G. Brottland's.

W. N. More and son Robert of Janesville, spent Sunday at his father's.

Henry Kemp visited the past week at Waterloo, Fort Atkinson and Janesville.

The fourth number of the lecture course will be March 8th. Rev. Roy, nolds of Janesville, will give the lecture on Yellowstone Park.

HOAG'S CORNERS

Hoag's Corners, Feb. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoag spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Crowley.

Lyle Stevens spent Thursday evening at the Hoag home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Connors and daughter, Cora, spent Sunday at the home of J. McNally.

NEWVILLE

Newville, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Ray Hagley of Palmyra is visiting her mother, Mrs. Caroline Bruhn.

Rev. De Haven will begin revival meetings at Lima soon and in consequence will be unable to fill his appointments here for some time.

On account of the severe storm today, those who are attending Edgerton high school remained at home. The cream handlers also are waiting for more favorable weather.

Fred Richardson was up from Janesville for Sunday.

L. A. S. meeting at Mrs. Peck's was largely attended. The ladies will meet with Mrs. Kreuger this week to sew for the fair which will be held in about six weeks.

Bill Hill and family expect to move to the farm on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stetman expect to visit in Milton Junction and other places, before leaving on Saturday next for California.

George and Ed. Sherman and Lee Alder returned from Chicago on Saturday.

Next Saturday evening the Y. P. C. U. are to give a Leap Year Ball. The social at the hall. The ladies are to bring boxes and are each requested to prepare a box and arrow—either one of which is to be concealed in the box and the other worn in sight. A fortune teller will be present and all who wish may peer into the mysterious future.

COOKSVILLE

Cooksville, Feb. 26.—Fred Miller and wife attended the Miller-Thomson wedding on Jug Radio last Wednesday.

Bill Danks, who held an auction last Tuesday sold nearly twenty-five pure bred Poland China sows.

Mrs. Elsie Savage has returned to her home after an absence of several months with her daughter in Center. She was accompanied by Edson Brown who spent the day.

Miss Katherine Jackson of Stoughton spent a few days last week sewing for Mrs. Paul Savage.

Ed Morgan was a recent visitor with relatives in Evansville.

Leslie Vinay and Irene Johnson transacted business in Evansville on Saturday.

Sleighs and buggies have both been used as means of conveyance, but the roads are now in fine shape for sleighing.

Allen Viney has traded his sixty-acre farm near here towards the John Nichols farm which is also in the town of Porter.

The place known as the G. E. Newman farm has recently been sold to Mike Kerlin.

PORTER

Porter, Feb. 27.—The blizzard on Monday came to remind us that winter was not ready to depart.

Monna Philor of Edgerton is spending a few days with her uncle, John Sweeney.

Margaret Earle visited on Sunday with her friend, Anna Ford.

Orrie Possenden is stripping tobacco for R. L. Earle.

Miss Jennie Scanlon is visiting with her cousins, the Kerhagirls.

Margaret McCarthy spent last week in Edgerton.

Michael Kerlin has purchased the G. E. Newman farm at Cooksville.

Tom and Richard Stearns were called to Minnesota last week on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Stearns.

Veron Michael Riley is the name of the new baby boy at the home of James Riley.

Joseph Harrington is visiting friends in this vicinity.

A number of the farmers here are planning to build silos the coming season.

A number from this vicinity attended the sale at the home of Mrs. Mary Keegan on Tuesday.

Friends in this vicinity were sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. Sweeney who had the misfortune to fall and injure her hip. All hope for a speedy recovery.

MT. PLEASANT

Mt. Pleasant, Feb. 26.—Mrs. James Keller and son of Edgerton, are visiting her parents for a few weeks.

Mrs. VIII Connors was a Janesville visitor over Sunday with relatives there.

M. J. Dorn was a Stoughton caller one day last week.

Mrs. Hugh Sweeney and Mrs. Maloney of Edgerton spent last Thursday with Mrs. Brown.

Edna Hornsman from Janesville, was an over Sunday visitor at her home here.

The Boy Den club met with Mrs. Brown on last Tuesday. Nearly all the members were present and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. George Van Vulin on March 7.

Several ladies from this vicinity attended the "Friendly Neighbor" club which was held at the home of Mrs. Will La Fay.

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Proves Quinine is never effective in the cure of a severe cold or the Grippe.

Nothing else that you can take will break your cold or end gripe so promptly as a dose of Pope's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken.

This most miserable neuralgia pains, headache, dullness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, running of the nose, sore throat, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness, rheumatism pains and other distress begin to leave after the very first dose.

EMERALD GROVE

Emerald Grove, Feb. 28.—Remember the Ladies' meeting to be held at Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hill's Thursday of this week. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

Miss Bertha Crooks was home from Milton, to spend Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. E. C. Ransom was called to Whitewater on account of illness of her mother.

Little Raymond Loyd was under the care of Dr. Dike last week.

Mrs. Foote is under the care of Dr. Suzum of Janesville.

Chas. Pinyer has returned from Kansas, where he has been visiting his uncle the past two weeks.

Cards have been received here announcing the marriage of Miss Carrie Swingle of Shopton, to Chas. Smith of that place. Miss Swingle was one of our former teachers. They will make their home at Clinton.

Master Forest Jones spent a couple of days last week with his sister Mrs. Ray Decker.

Miss Flora Wetmore returned home last week from a trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Wm. Boss, Jr. and son, Roscoe of Leat River, Ill., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boss Senior.

Mr. and Mrs. Selah Chambers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Van Allen and Wallace and Margaret Jones spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Eber Van Allen.

The Emerald Grove school and the Avalon school will have a spelling match at the Avalon school, Friday evening of this week. They will hold a basket social after the spelling match.

A pigeon shoot will be held at Will Lloyd's next Friday. All those caring to enter may do so.

MAGNOLIA CENTER

Magnolia Center, Feb. 28.—About forty relatives and friends gathered at the Magnolia hall, Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ferner Beale, who will leave for Iowa in the near future. The evening was spent in playing games and social converse. At a late hour refreshments were served. On departing the guests all declared they had spent a very pleasant evening.

Miss Prenda Poste, spent Sunday with Misses Cora and Lattie Harnack. Bruce Townsend of Evansville, attended the party at the hall Friday evening.

Fred Mau and son, Willie attended the Elmer and Keratins wedding at Leyden, Thursday evening.

Miss Buhai Cole remained at Evansville over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Townsend are visiting relatives and friends.

W. L. Austin of Evansville, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. A. Cole called on friends in West Magnolia, Saturday afternoon.

Miss Leta Walton spent Sunday at Evansville.

A. Cain of Footville, was a Magnolia visitor Saturday.

Lee Snyder of Center, attended the party at the hall Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Berryman from near Footville, were over night visitors Thursday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Mapes.

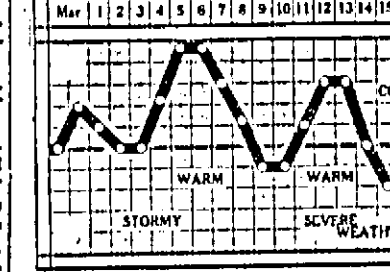
Miss Cora Harnack of Evansville, was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodstock, entertained a number of relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harnack and son, Kenneth, spent Sunday at the former's parental home.

Monday was the first day this winter, Mr. Weaver our mail carrier failed to carry the mail on account of the drifted roads.

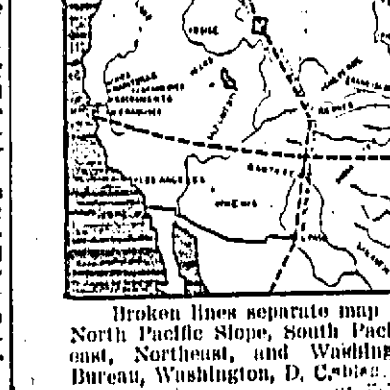
FOSTER'S MARCH, 1912, WEATHER CHARTS.



Mare his expected to be a cold month with crop-weather back ward. Most precipitation in the Southern States where generally good crop-weather will prevail with a few exceptions. Generally dry in a strip 400 miles wide from Denver to Washington, D. C. and in New England States. About normal precipitation in central Northwest. More than usual rain on Pacific Slope.

In above chart the treble line represents normal temperatures and rainfall. The heavy line with round white spots is temperature forecasts. Where it goes above treble line temperatures are expected to be higher. Where it goes below treble line temperatures will be lower. Dates are for Meridian 90. Count one of two days earlier for West of line and as much later for East of it because weather features move from West to East.

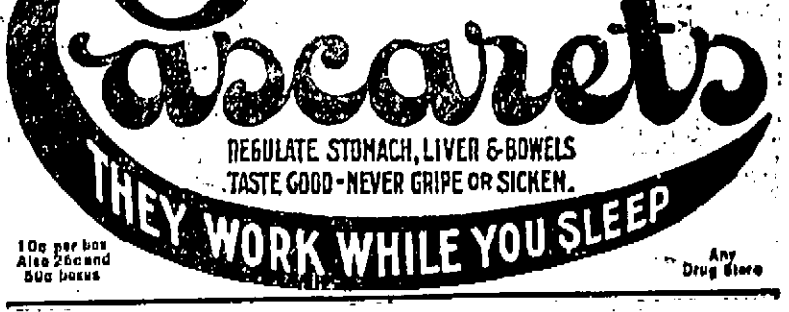
FOSTER'S WEATHER MAP.



FOR SICK, SOUR, BILIOUS STOMACH, INDIGESTION AND GAS TAKE CASCARETS.

That awful sourness, belching of acid and foul gases; that pain in the pit of the stomach, the heartburn, nervousness, nausea, bloating after eating, feeling of fullness, dizziness and sick headache, means indigestion; a disordered stomach which cannot be regulated until you remove the cause. It isn't your stomach's fault. Your stomach is as good as any.

Try Cascarets; they cure indigestion, because they immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excessive mucus from the liver and carry off the decomposed waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels. Then your stomach trouble is ended forever. A Cascaret-tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box will keep your entire family feeling good for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle, cleansing, too.

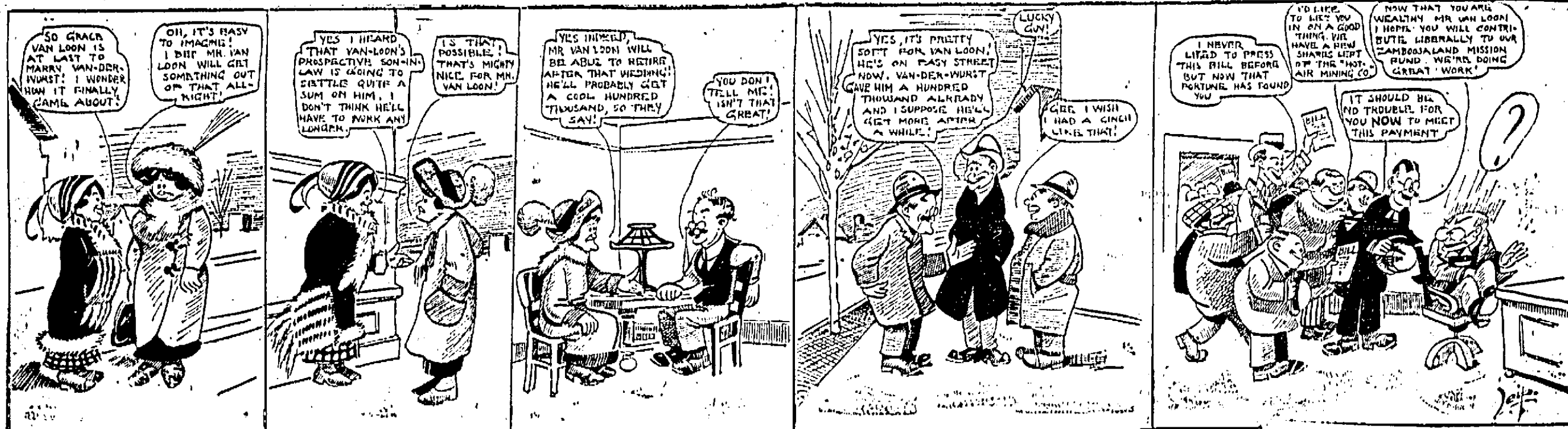


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DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—That swell match of Grace's is bringing things Father's way at last.

The PHANTOM OF THE OPERA

By Gaston Leroux
Author of
THE MYSTERY OF THE YELLOW RACE
and THE PERFUME OF THE LADY IN BLACK
Illustrations by M. G. Kettner
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M. de Chagny and I had repeatedly taken off our coats and put them on again, finding at one time that they made us feel still hotter and at another that they protected us against the heat. I was still making a moral resistance, but M. de Chagny seemed to me quite "gone." He pretended that he had been walking in that forest for three days and nights, without stopping, looking for Christine Dane! From time to time, he thought he saw her behind the trunk of a tree, or gliding between the branches; and he called to her with words of supplication that brought the tears to my eyes. And then, at last—

"Oh, how thirsty I am!" he cried, in delirious accents.
"I too was thirsty. My throat was on fire. And, yet, squatting on the floor, I went on hunting, hunting, hunting for the spring of the invisible door . . . especially as it was dangerous to remain in the forest as evening drew nigh. Already the shades of night were beginning to surround us. It had happened very quickly; night falls quickly in tropical countries . . . suddenly, with hardly any twilight.

Now night, in the forests of the equator, is always dangerous, particularly when, like ourselves, one has not the materials for a fire to keep off the beasts of prey. I did indeed try for a moment to break off the branches, which I would have lit with my dark lantern, but I knocked myself also against the mirrors and remembered, in time, that we had only images of branches to do with.

The heat did not go with the daylight; on the contrary, it was now still hotter under the blue rays of the moon. I urged the viscount to hold our weapons ready to fire and not to stray from camp, while I went on looking for my spring.

Suddenly, we heard a lion roaring a few yards away.

"Oh," whispered the viscount, "he is quite close. . . . Don't you see him? . . . There . . . through the trees . . . in that thicket!"

If he roars again, I will fire!" And the roaring began again, louder than before. And the viscount fired, but I do not think that he hit the lion; only, he smashed a mirror, as I perceived the next morning, at daybreak. We must have covered a good distance during the night, for we suddenly found ourselves on the edge of the desert, an immense desert of sand, stones and rocks. It was really not worth while leaving the forest to come upon the desert. Tired out, I flung myself down beside the viscount, for I had had enough of looking for springs which I could not find.

I was quite surprised—and I said so to the viscount—that we had encountered no other dangerous animals during the night. Usually, after the lion came the leopard and sometimes the buzz of the twelve fly. These were easily obtained effects; and I explained to M. de Chagny that I had imitated the roar of a lion on a long labour or thimble, with an ass's skin at one end. Over this skin he tied a string of catgut, which was fastened at the middle to another similar string passing through the whole length of the labour. Erik had only to rub this string with a glove smeared with resin and, according to the manner in which he rubbed it, he imitated to perfection the voice of the lion or the leopard, or even the buzzing of the twelve fly.

The idea that Erik was probably in the room beside us, working his trick, made me suddenly resolve to enter into a parley with him, for we must obviously give up all thought of taking him by surprise. And by this time he must be quite aware who

we were. And then I caught the pistol from him . . . and then I dragged myself on my knees toward what I had seen.
I had discovered, near the Punjab lasso, in a groove in the floor, a black-headed nail of which I knew the use. At that I had discovered the spring! I felt the nail . . . I lifted a radiant face to M. de Chagny. . . . The black-headed nail yielded to my pressure. . . .
And then, . . .
And then we saw not a door opened in the wall, but a collar-flap released in the floor. Cool air came up to us from the black hole below. We stooped over that square of darkness as though over a limpid well. With our chins in the cool shade, we drank it in.
And we bent lower and lower over the trap-door. What could there be in that collar which opened before us? Water? Water to drink?
I thrust my arm into the darkness and came upon a stone and another stone . . . a staircase . . . a dark staircase leading into the cellar. The viscount put his two full hands close to my lantern. . . . I stooped to look . . . and at once threw away the lantern with such violence that it broke and went out, leaving us in utter darkness.
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The discovery flung us into a state of alarm that made us forget all our past and present sufferings. We now knew all that the monster meant to convey when he said to Christine Dane:
"Yes or no? If your answer is no, everybody will be dead and buried!"
Yes, buried under the ruins of the Palais Grand Opera!
The monster had given her until eleven o'clock in the evening. He had chosen his time well. There would be many people, many "members of the human race," up there, in the resplendent theater. What fiercer torture could be expected for his funeral? He would go down to the tomb escorted by the whitest shrouds in the world, decked with the richest jewels.
Eleven o'clock tomorrow evening! We were all to be blown up in the middle of the performance . . . if Christine Dane said no!
Eleven o'clock tomorrow evening! And what else could Christine say but no? Would she not prefer to expiate death itself rather than that living corpse? She did not know that on her acceptance or refusal depended the awful fate of many members of the human race!
Eleven o'clock tomorrow evening! And we dragged ourselves through the darkness, feeling our way to the stone steps, for the light in the trap-door overhead that led to the room of mirrors was now extinguished; and we repeated to ourselves:
"Eleven o'clock tomorrow evening!"
At last, I found the staircase. But, suddenly I drew myself up on the first step, for a terrible thought had come to my mind:
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CURRENT WIT and HUMOR



A BOY MAYOR.

Occasionally a boy mayor has been elected across a municipal horizon and then winked out. However, boyish any of these mayors have been, none of them looked so boyish as Newton D. Baker of Cleveland. He is forty years old, but looks anywhere between eighteen and twenty-four, depending on how he has his hair combed. Instead of referring to him as a boy mayor, some rude person, unacquainted with his maturity, may take a look at him and call him the child mayor. When he was running a man came in to see him.

"I want to see Baker," said the man.

"I am Baker."

"Well, my boy, your father is running for mayor and I want to do something for him."—Saturday Evening Post.

Living Beyond It.

"Even the most practical persons are subject to curious hallucinations at times," remarked Gutzit.

"No doubt you are right," said Tupper.

"For instance, did you ever feel that there was something behind you that was trying hard to overtake you?"

"Why, yes; I have felt that way and I have often suspected that it was my income."

Didn't Have Time.

"A poor shipwrecked sailor! Were you washed ashore?"

"No, mum; yet see, I've only bin ashore three weeks."—Life.

A DOMESTIC PROBLEM.

The prospective bride and groom (colored) were not known to the minister, and so, to perform the ceremony conscientiously, he asked a lot of questions. The man, he learned, had come recently from the south and was working in a hotel in town where his desired bride was a waitress.

"Have you been married before?" to the conventional black.

"Yes, sah."

"Where is she?"

"Down south, sah."

"Why doesn't she live with you?"

"Well, sah, she let me."

"Why did she leave you?"

"Don't rightly know, sah. I was away when she let."

And they sought another minister. —Everybody's Magazine.

Johnny's Kind Act.

"It is the duty of everyone to make at least one person happy during the week," said a Sunday school teacher.

"Now, have you done so, Johnny?"

"Yes," said Johnny, promptly.

"That's right. What did you do?"

"I went to see my aunt, and she's always happy when I go home!"—Answers.

Rest.

Oh, where shall rest be found—
Rest for the weary soul,
O'erburdened with the ceaseless round
Of putting up for coal?

The Reason.

"I know a man who regularly works the streets by selling green goods, and the police never molest him."

"I suppose they let him alone because he whacks up with them."

"No—because he is a huckster."

Inspiration.

As fishing songs are out of date
And rhymes of roses, too,
A hard will simply have to wait
Till spring tides flow into view!

His Trade.

Old Sailor—Why don't you take a preacher in your aeroplane?
Aviator—What good would a preacher be?
Old Sailor—Why, ain't he a sky pilot?

Publicity Seekers.

Lives of great men now remind us
Good advice they understand;
All in ways that can not blind us,
Advertise to beat the band.

SIDEWALK SKETCHES.

THE SEWING CIRCLE.

By Howard L. Rann.



The sewing circle is a form of unbridled dissipation, which is featured by a rich flow of Oolong tea and undiluted conversation about people who do not care to start any fireworks in the community. The organization is an ancient one, having originated with the Pilgrim Mothers, during the hard winter of 1621, when nobody could get out to the moving picture show. It was the Plymouth Rock sewing circle which discovered the New England witch and burned several of her in linseed oil, which was a very cheap and penetrating fuel, and gave the victim a lively sense of personal discomfort. As a result of this precedent, a great many people have been raked over the coals by sewing circles ever since. Human life is depleted in a very engaging and minute manner, at a sewing circle, the conversation having to do mainly with the bonnage of women, and the best method of picking eggs so that they will retain the bloom of early youth. Let a popular and prominent citizen walk two blocks with somebody else's wife, and the sewing circle will dissect his past life until he looks like a composite photograph of Don Juan, Brigham Young, and Nat C. Goodwin. It is getting so that a man can hardly exercise his lordly prerogative of beating up his wife without being landed on by the sewing circle and branded in the minutes as a fiend in human form, who ought to be turning out pin oak furniture under the watchful eye of the state. There is very little sewing done at the average circle, except in the form of tying comforters for people who are short on bedding and castle soap. Most women join sewing circles purely as a defensive proposition, while others never join at all, and are not obliged to divulge whether their clothes came from a catalogue house or were fitted on by the hired girl.

A Pertinent Question.

"The old year didn't do much for me."

"What did you do for the old year?"



A COMMON SPEECH.

The world is very full of such
A lot of foolish duffers;
Each one of whom will eat too much
And wonder why he suffers.

Where is another duffer?

Upon a wide and weary world
The waiting time to look,
When one at ease may be uprooted
With some good story-book.

The Pity of It.

"Do you believe necessity is the mother of invention?"
"Yes, and she is also closely related to the promissory note."

FORTY YEARS AGO

Janesville Gazette, Feb. 28, 1872.—A resolution to hold evening sessions has passed the assembly.

The Union-Pacific has again been opened. Trains are running regularly, but the snow in the mountains is likely to interrupt it until May.

The Supreme court of Tennessee yesterday rendered a claim versus Ward & Briggs, former lessees of the Tennessee penitentiary against the state. The amount involved was \$100,000.

It is reported that the Chicago & Northwestern railroad has purchased the Milwaukee, Green Bay and Manitowish railroad, which is being constructed along the lake shore.

A team of horses attached to a lumber wagon ran away on North Main street this morning.

A young lady fell in a fainting fit on a ballroom floor at Clinton Junction last Saturday night.

We understand that the government proceedings against Wm. Hodson of this city, in the district court at Madison, have been discontinued.

Father Doyle was extremely fortunate to have an accident policy at the time he was injured by falling through the flooring of his church. O. J. Deary, born, handed him twenty-five dollars the other day, which will more than pay the doctor's bill.

UNCLE WALT The Poet Philosopher

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The big campaign got under way when ceased the rush of Christmas shopping, and now for many a weary day the land will ring with the great with idle yawning.

CAMPAIGN We'll make of politicians gods, and whoop for this and that at that one, and really it will make no odds if we elect the lean or fat one. We'll waste the golden summer days in whooping round for Rob or Billy. Alas! we are such ill-fated jays! We are so fatuous and silly! It makes no odds to you and me who wins and wears the White House laurel; let windy politicians be, and plant your onions, beans and sorrel. Let statements rant in frenzied tones about the way to save this nation, while we are salting shikim bushes down in the loan association. The more they save this weary land, the steeper grows their wild endeavor, the more salvation it will stand, and so the job goes on forever. So let the jawanthe spring their spleen and keep the cheap tin wealth humming, while we are salting down the wheels for rainy days that sure are coming.

CENTER

Center, Feb. 28.—Attending public auctions and moving seems to be the order of business these days.

The families of Wm. Sarnow and Fred Nightengale attended the Elmer Kerpstein wedding last Thursday.

Mrs. Herman Natz has been quite ill for a few days, but is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Goldsmith will move to the village of Footville soon, where they have purchased property and will reside in the future.

Mrs. H. O. Barlow was away over Sunday, visiting in Deloit with relatives, returning home the middle of the week.

Will Nightengale who worked at the farm home of Leo Campbell near Evansville last season, will again take up his duties there for the coming season.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Elsie Jaeger, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jaeger, to Herman Bonish, Jr., which will take place March 21st, at the home of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gottschalk had a public auction Tuesday. They also will go to Footville to reside, having purchased a home there. All are sorry to lose them from the neighborhood.

Mrs. L. Schroeder is quite poorly at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pepper of West

Center, were callers at E. H. Fuller's Saturday afternoon.

Minister Donald Whitmore has been a victim of the pink eye.

Grange was postponed Saturday indefinitely.

John Harneck spent last Saturday at the home of her son Hans. Owing to the blizzard which visited this section Monday, August Schutt and family were unable to move to their new home on the Footville road, as they had expected to do.

Miss Emily Harlow entertained some friends Sunday afternoon at ten.

No Excitement.

"A man doesn't seem to take any pleasure in writing letters to a woman after he has married her," said Mrs. Gloomer.

"No," replied Miss Cayenne. "He seems to lose all interest when there is no possibility of his letters being read to a jury."

A Liberal Offer.

The undersigned druggist is authorized by the American Drug & Prescribers Association, of which he is a member, to guarantee Morhol Hair Tonic to give satisfaction or the purchase price will be refunded. This indicates the confidence they have in this preparation. Reliable Drug Co., Sole Agents.

Reliable Drug Co.
Quality first, last and always.

J. P. Baker, Druggist, Janesville, Wis.

Dear Sir—

I have used your BRONCHINE for myself, and in my family for years, and want to say, that it is everything that you say it is; I feel confident through the winter months with it in the house, and would not be without it.

J. W. VAN BEYNUM,
Secretary of Moose Lodge 197, and M. W. A. Lodge.

Big Wages For Farm Work. Try Our Help Column

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

A MAN AND WIFE wishes to work on farm by month or year. E. H. Gazette office. 99-3t.

WOMAN WANTED—I have clients who desire to borrow \$2,000.00 and also \$2,000.00 on high-class Rock County farms. John L. Fisher, Hayes Block. 98-3t.

WANTED: Washing and ironing will call for it. New phone 138 black. 97-4t.

WANTED--FEMALE HELP

WAITRESS Wanted, European Hotel, 200-1t.

WANTED—A girl for general housework at Hamrick. 200-3t.

WANTED: Girl for general housework. Mrs. D. Cunningham, 843 Milwaukee Ave. Both phones. 99-3t.

WANTED—Girls 16 years old or older to label cigar boxes. No machine work. \$3.00 per week guaranteed while learning. Steady work. Thoroughgood & Co. 99-3t.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two; good wages. Apply 111 Milwaukee Ave. or new phone 172 black. 99-3t.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire Mrs. J. P. Cullen, 212 So. bluff St. 98-3t.

WANTED—Janitor at Crystal Theatre, Evansville, Ind. who can cut the pictures. Good salary. Write or call on G. W. A. Mitchell, Evansville. 97-4t.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. P. H. Korn, 209 Clark street. 96-4t.

WANTED--MALE HELP

SURELY ONE MAN OF 1,000 IS LOOKING FOR YOUR JOB.

WANTED—Hustling makers to work in team harness and strap work. Can make road wagon. Strictly non-union factory. Dodson, Fisher, Brockmann & Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 300-3t.

WANTED—At once, a bright active boy 17 to 18 years of age. Lewis Kuttling Co. 99-3t.

TRUSTWORTHY MEN or WOMEN wanted as local representatives of responsible manufacturer. High-class merchandise and clean selling methods. \$12.00 per week guaranteed on easy conditions with possibility of \$20.00 and advance. Experience not necessary. Manufacturer, Box 278, Philadelphia. 91-0t-2a-wk-wed&sat

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, modern. Bell phone 761. 99-3t.

FOR RENT—A room house, electric light, well, chicken house, very large lot. \$10 per month. Robert F. Duggs, agent, phone 407. 200-2t.

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room, 1019 Wall St. 99-3t.

FOR RENT—Two connecting heated rooms over "Hans" drug store. Have always been occupied by physicians. Mrs. F. C. Cook. 309-3t.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Ground floor. Desirable location. 201 Locust St. Bell phone 390. 99-3t.

FOR SALE OR RENT: A seven-room house and barn. Corner of Ringold and Racine Sts. Large garden. Inquire Geo. P. Cullen, 344 So. Main St. 97-4t.

FOR RENT—Several houses well located in city. Joseph Fisher, Hayes Block. 97-4t.

FOR RENT—7 room flat, modern. 233 No. Main St. 97-5t.

FOR SALE

MISCELLANEOUS

SELL THE ODDS AND ENDS. THEY ARE WORTH MONEY TO SOMEBODY.

FOR SALE—Strong line barrels, 55c each. Gazette. 300-1t.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one 500 lb. capacity National Cream Separator in first class condition, write, call or phone. George P. Clark, R. 1, Janesville, Wis. 300-3t.

FOR SALE—Household goods. Party leaving town. 1 Terrace St. 98-6t.

FOR SALE—New dining room, and bed room sets, new piano. Mercantile Adjustment Co. 97-6t.

FOR SALE—White oak posts and green curd wood. D. Johnston, Janesville, Route 5. 99-12t.

FOR SALE—Heavy wrapping paper for laying under carpets. Gazette office. 99-4t.

FOR SALE—Lot of strong packing boxes at Gazette office. 24-4t.

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FOR SALE—Scratch tablets, big size, for 6c, at Gazette office. 99-4t.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Scholarship in Janesville Business College. Address 62 Gazette. 61-4t.

FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE SELLING IS A QUESTION OF FINDING BUYERS. WHERE DO YOU LOOK?

FOR SALE—My property, corner of Ringold and Racine Streets, house, barn, 2 1/2 acres of land, fruit of all kinds. Geo. P. Cullen, 344 South Main St. 99-3t.

FOR SALE—Good dwelling house and creamery, including two acres of land, 3 miles southeast of Milton on Johnston road. Inquire J. W. Vothertown, Secy., Milton, Wis. 98-4t.

BUY YOUR HARNESSES from the manufacturer and save dealers' profits. T. R. Covilgan, Corn Exchange. 99-30t.

FOR SALE—A fully equipped farm of 200 acres known as Pleasant Valley Stock Farm, in Marquette County, Wis., 3 miles from R. R. station. Will be sold at a sacrifice as I am retiring from business. Address Edward Lynch, Grand Rapids, Wis. 98-12t.

FOR SALE—One 12 gauge, single barrel shot gun, price \$7.50 complete with loading tools, oak hull from 1 gent's bicycle. Bell phone 1505. 99-3t.

FOR SALE—Or will accept house in part payment; 60 acre farm located in Rock County. Joseph Fisher, Hayes Block. 98-3t.

FOR SALE—620 acres gently rolling land in Lyman County, So. Dakota, 3 miles from town. Prices right, terms easy. Dennis Sullivan, Osceola, So. Dakota. 93-16t.

FARM FOR SALE in Manitoba, 100 miles S. W. Winnipeg on C. N. R. R. 800 acres in block 600 under cultivation; soil sandy loam, 640 ac. fenced 7 acres of green timber; 6 pumps to the best of water, running water through pasture, buildings costing \$7,000; elevator on farm driven by gasoline engine, 140 acres of summer fallow for crop; 300 acres ready for wheat; 300 acres shipped in Sept. of 1911 crops. R. H. Cule, cor. of farm, 5 elevators in a radius of 6 1/2 miles on good roads; school 1/2 mile; 4 churches; 3 miles to small towns, telephone in house, \$2,000 subscribers, prices right; terms, reasonable. The least we hope is 75 head of horses and cattle; green timber shelter all our buildings and pastures, owner retiring. Apply to A. W. Playfair, J. P. Balduf, Man., on C. N. R. 98-3t.

FOR SALE-LIVE STOCK

2,000 FARMERS READ THESE WANT ADS.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a team of good work horses. Call new phone 371 Red. 99-1t.

POULTRY

FOR SALE: One 120 Racine Hatchery and Brooder, one Humphrey bone grinder. Also my entire flock of Single and Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds. Philip Koch, 517 S. Jackson St. Bell phone 710. 99-3t.

MISCELLANEOUS

ASHES hauled on short notice. Call new phone 371 Red. 99-4t.

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate or personal property. Loan & Adjustment Co. 97-6t.

HOUSE CLEANING by vacuum process. F. H. Porter, White 413. 91-4t-1m.

LOST

LOST—String of gold beads between Grand hotel and Milwaukee street bridge. Return to Grand hotel and receive reward. 97-4t.

LOST—On Milwaukee St., gold watch with chain of cat's eyes attached. Leave at Gazette and receive reward. 99-3t.

SEEDS

FOR SALE—Rock County Grown Seeds. Pedgroe Barley, Wisconsin No. 7 Corn. N. R. Reessler, Deloit, Wis. 87-1t.

AUCTION

AUCTION—Friday, March 1, 1912, on J. W. Austin farm, in town of La Prairie, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp, 5 head of horses, 8 head of cattle, 3 pigs, 40 chickens, farm machinery, etc. Henry Urbanowski, prop. W. T. Dooley, auct. 300-1t.

AUCTION—Thursday, Feb. 29, I will sell all my horses, cattle and farm machinery at public auction, at my residence 4 miles west of Janesville and 1 mile north of Willowdale Creamery. Frank Helmer, prop. John Lynn, auct. 98-3t.

LANDS

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF HEARING.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County.

Notice is hereby given that at a Special Term of the County Court to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said County, on the third Tuesday, being the 10th day of March, 1912, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Katherine Curren, for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Anna Maria Kuepper, late of the City of Janesville, in said County, deceased.

Dated February 20, 1912.

J. A. DENNING, Clerk of Court.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—ROCK COUNTY.

Notice is hereby given that at a Regular Term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said County, on the first Tuesday of Sept. A. D. 1912, being Sept. 3rd, 1912, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against Lucius L. Fletcher, late of the City of Janesville in said County, deceased.

All claims must be presented for allowance to said Court, at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said County, on or before the 20th day of August, A. D. 1912, or be barred.

J. W. RALPH, County Judge.

Jeffrey Mount, Gustaf A. Avery, Attorneys.

STATE OF WISCONSIN.

Circuit Court for Rock County.

Israel A. Stone, Plaintiff.

vs.

Dr. M. W. Abbott, — Smith, wife of Joseph Smith, Julia Ann Smith, Wells, wife of Gordon Wells, Catherine E. Lamb, Catherine E. Duell, — Gables, wife of Richard Gables, — Gillett, wife of Solomon L. Gillett, Amory Nelson, — Pelton, wife of Amory Pelton, and their unknown heirs, and all persons whom it may concern. — Defendants.

The State of Wisconsin to the said defendants: